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# RHEIMS BLAZING; AMIENS UNDER FIRE; ALLIES ADVANCE IN COUNTER ATTACKS

## CALIFORNIA MAY BANISH LANGUAGE OF GERMANS

State High School Principals  
in Annual Session Consider  
Resolution Eliminating Lan-  
guage From High Schools

PROFESSOR LANGE GIVES  
HIS PLANS FOR CHANGE

Assistant Superintendent of  
Oakland Says Disloyalty in  
Many Cases Is Only "Mis-  
guided Idealism" of Thought

State-wide educational interest concentrated today in the proceedings of the state convention of California high school principals, when it became known that a resolution providing for the elimination of the German language from state high schools was being considered. The resolution, which would probably be the center of a stormy debate on the open floor of the convention, is understood, will cut an important figure at the next session of the state legislature.

Prominent educators from different parts of the state declared this morning that they would like to oppose the suggestion from a purely linguistic and utilitarian viewpoint, but were afraid to object for fear their utterances would be misconstrued into pro-German attitudes. The advocates of the measure are equally positive that pro-German propaganda is being spread through the medium of German language teaching and are ready to holly contest efforts to retain the language in academic circles, at least during the period of the war.

### FINAL DECISION CAREFULLY GUARDED

The final decision on the resolution itself is being guarded carefully by committee members. C. E. Keyes, principal of the Oakland high school, who heads the committee, said that no statement would be issued until the matter came before the main body for debate. The remaining eleven members of the same committee maintained an equal silence. It is understood that an adverse report by the present convention against retaining German in the schools of the state will result in legislative action at Sacramento.

A change of this nature will be closely allied, it is said, with recommendations made today to the convention by Professor Alexis F. Lange of the University of California, who outlined a program of revisions for the complete reorganization of the school departments of California. Professor Lange's plan, which was originally considered by the legislature at its last session and may come before the general public on a referendum basis, includes the following suggestions:

NEW PLAN POINTS  
FOUR MAIN POINTS

- (1) A county board of education of five to nine citizens elected at large for five years each.
- (2) A county superintendent, elected at large, to head the board.
- (3) Sub-district boards, subject to county control.
- (4) Adherence in executive and administrative lines to democratic efficiency.

The final section represents the radical revision of the Lange plan, which the university man outlined in an address today. He holds the educational interests of the state to be in trusteeship for the citizens of tomorrow and urges the actualization of the county unit idea, which he declares will produce material educational advances.

"Rural high schools and their resources would be more evenly distributed," said Lange, "with provisions in each county for junior college departments to lead into the university. It will also mitigate for teachers the vicissitudes of tenure, which would make them less liable to social equities."

Mark Keppel, superintendent of schools in Los Angeles, exonerated assembly bill No. 1013, covering school taxation, which he branded as the "greatest menace which has endangered the schools in the whole history of California." Keppel declared

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## Wife Takes Rival Into Home New Phase in Thomas Scandal

CHICAGO, April 13.—Warrants charging disorderly conduct were issued today for the arrest of Professor William T. Thomas, 35, University of Chicago, and Mrs. R. M. Granger, 24, "army widow." The couple registered at a Chicago hotel Thursday night as man and wife.

Mrs. Thomas, wife of the 55-year-old sociology professor, serenely took Mrs. Granger into the Thomas home today.

"We're living in a social structure that is likely to crumble at any minute," Mrs. Thomas said. "I don't consider this affair any of the public's business."

"I am terribly sorry for you," Mrs. Thomas told the other woman, "and I'll do all I can to help you."

Mrs. Granger, who is a silly, foolish boy, she should have known better," she added.

Mrs. Granger's attitude perplexed special agents who questioned her. She exhibited few signs of remorse over her acquaintance with the professor, but appeared to be worried over the probable attitude of her husband, a lieutenant with Pershing in France.

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### CAULS HIM BALD- HEADED OLD DEAR

"He's my daddy," she told questioners, speaking of Thomas. "He's a bald-headed old dear."

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Thomas at New York, Philadelphia and Washington, where, she said, Thomas was doing special investigation for Colonel E. M. House.

"I know what my husband will do," the young woman quavered when the officer was mentioned by United States District Attorney Cline. "He will get a furlough and he'll come home and shoot me."

Mrs. Granger wept when Cline offered his life for his country and heifer his life for his country and heifer his life for his country.

### WHAT MADE OTHER WOMAN ANGRY

"Certainly I did," was the reply.

"That's what makes me so damned mad—we did not know any better than to get caught."

University of Chicago authorities said no action would be taken on their part until President Judson returns to Chicago.

Mrs. Granger said she is the mother of a 3-year-old son, who is with her mother at Fort Smith, Ark. Lieutenant Granger, her husband, sailed for France late last year and it was when she went to New York to bid him good-bye that she met Thomas.

Thomas is the author of books on sociology, in many of which he expounds unusual sex problems.

Mrs. Thomas has been known as a worker for universal peace. She was a member of Henry Ford's Stockholm peace party.

### THOMAS TALKS WITH REPORTER

A reporter who called at the Thomas home shortly after sunrise found the distinguished sociologist and authority on sex relations pacing up and down the veranda.

"Is Mrs. Granger with Mrs. Thomas?" the professor was asked.

"Yes," he replied. "Mrs. Thomas has taken her in to protect her from the knocks and buffets of the world. She was alone and helpless and Mrs. Thomas has provided a harbor for her here."

"Did she promise the federal authorities that she would not see you again?"

"She did nothing of the sort, so far as I know," Dr. Thomas said, and added that in due course he would issue a formal statement of his position.

### SON OF THOMAS ADDS TO GAYETY

The conversation was terminated by a fight between Henry Thomas, 23-year-old son of the professor, and half a dozen photographers who were preparing to photograph Dr. Thomas. Young Thomas smashed one or two of the cameras and received some blows in return. He retired when his father got out of focus by returning indoors.

Mrs. Willis Raines Channing of Fort Smith, Ark., her maiden name was Raines. She married Granger more than three years ago when he was a telegraph operator. He became an officer in the Signal Corps and sailed for France last winter. It was then that his wife, through her sister, Della, met Dr. Thomas. Her hope now is that her husband will not hear of the affair.

No formal charges have been lodged against either Dr. Thomas or Mrs. Granger by the federal authorities. Finding that there was no evidence of violation of a federal statute, they turned the evidence over to the city.

At Washington President Judson said he would make no comment until the facts had been presented to him in due form. The faculty meeting today was said to be for the purpose of preparing a statement for him.

## FIVE WOUNDED IN CAFE HOLD-UP CULPRITS BATTLE, BUT CAUGHT

BY INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE  
LEASSED WIRE TO TRIBUNE

NEW YORK, April 13.—Five persons, a woman and four men, were wounded here early today as the result of a robbery battle between two policemen and four soldiers at Hollis, L. I. The woman, Mrs. E. C. Brush of New York, may die.

The pitched battle followed a bold hold-up in a cafe at Hollis. Four men, a woman and four men, who could not be reached before their pursuers of money and valuables. They cut the telephone wires before making their escape. After an exciting chase

in a commandeered automobile the men were run down and they described themselves as a sergeant and three privates.

George B. Girard of Huntington, L. I., owner of the commandeered car, was wounded by a bullet from the revolver of one of the soldiers as was Mrs. Brush. Policemen Colton and Burns received slight wounds.

The four soldiers held by the police described themselves as Roy S. Smith, of Alhambra, Cal.; Sergeant O. Walker, of Millbrook, Ohio; William B. Harrison, of Centerville, Tenn.; and Harry Cohen of Brooklyn.

## 35 BOYS DIE IN AN ASYLUM FIRE OTHER INMATES ARE CARRIED OUT

NORMAN, Okla., April 13.—Thirty-five boy inmates of the Oklahoma state insane asylum here were burned in a fire which destroyed three frame wards early today.

Dr. W. B. Griffin, superintendent, stated at 5 o'clock all inmates were accounted for except 35 boys, who could not be reached before their building collapsed. It is known they perished in the flames. Mental and physical weaklings, they could not realize their plight and save themselves, he said.

One hundred and twenty-five others were carried out of the building. The cause of the fire had not been ascertained early today. Starting at 3 o'clock in the boys' ward, the flames were spread quickly by a strong wind. Employees of the institution worked heroically to save the lives of the unfortunate inmates.

## CZERNIN INSISTS CLEMENCEAU IS 'PREVARICATOR'

AMSTERDAM, April 13.—Foreign Minister Czernin, following a conference with Emperor Karl, today informed the Austrian foreign office that he believed Premier Clemenceau of France "prevaricated" regarding the emperor's alleged "peace feelers" a year ago, according to Vienna dispatches.

Czernin asked the foreign office to disseminate this belief.

## TWO U. S. WOMEN MISSIONARIES ARE TAKEN BY THUGS

PEKING, April 13.—Miss Katherine Schmidt and Mrs. Stanley M. Dixon, American missionaries, formerly of Springfield, S. D., have been captured by bandits. They are representatives of the Mennonite Mission Society. Miss Schmidt was attached to the station at Tsao-Sien, Shantung province, and Mrs. Dixon to the station in Kiang Su province.

The two were released soon after the bandits took them.

## American Names in Canadian Casualties

OTTAWA, April 13.—The following names of Americans appear in today's Canadian casualty list: Killed in action—C. J. Chapin, Meadville, Pa. Died—Andrew M. Anderson, Atlantic, Ia. Wounded—Ernest Young, Long Beach, Cal.

## 24 KILLED, 62 WOUNDED IN AIR RAID ON PARIS

Bombardment of French Capital by Hun Long Range Gun Also Causes Death of 12 Persons and Injury of 12

GERMAN AIRSHIPS  
AGAIN RAID BRITAIN

American Soldier Succumbs to Shock When Bombs Fall on English Coast Town; Better Aerial Defense Maintained

PARIS, April 13.—Twenty-four persons were killed and sixty-two others wounded as the result of the German air raid last night on Paris, it was officially announced today.

The most of the bombs, dropped last night fell in one spot, striking a house. It was evident the raiders found their work much more difficult under a new system of aerial defenses.

As on the occasion of previous raids, ambulances of the American Red Cross were first on the scene. The latest bombardment of Paris by the long range German gun killed two persons and wounded twelve. It was announced today.

The strength of the air defenses of Paris was never better demonstrated than last night. Only two machines succeeded in breaking through to the Paris district. Little property damage was done. The German machines were repelled and driven off.

LONDON, April 13.—Four airships participated in last night's enemy raid. Lord French, commander of the home defense forces, announced today.

Two men, two women and two children were killed and fifty persons were injured during the raid. An American soldier died of shock during last night's air raid on an English coast town.

Two craft penetrated inland a few miles, another reached the midland counties, while the other flew over the northwest coast.

Bombs were dropped in the open country, inflicting considerable damage.

## New Draft Call to Come In Early May

WASHINGTON, April 13.—Another big draft mobilization call has been approved by the war council for early in May, it was learned today from tentative sources here this afternoon. It will follow directly after the order for 150,000 to be mobilized between April 26 and May 1. State quotas for the new call are being allotted at the provost marshal-general's office.

The rapidly-increasing mobilization of draft recruits clearly indicates that the movement of American troops to France has been materially speeded up within the last month.

## Stettinius May Head New Aircraft Board

WASHINGTON, April 13.—Edward R. Stettinius, assistant secretary of war, probably will head the new aircraft board when the Stoudenmire report is made to President Wilson. It was stated in administration circles today. The report, a preliminary outline of which has already been sent to the White House, is expected today. It will recommend a reorganized aircraft board to hurry up the carrying out of the vast war program, and Stettinius is regarded as exactly the man to direct the work.

The position of the chairman of the present board, Howard F. Coffin, in the new organization is not made clear.

## Senator Stone's Condition Is Worse

WASHINGTON, April 13.—The condition of Senator Stone, who suffered a stroke of paralysis Wednesday, took a turn for the worse last night, it was announced this afternoon. His secretary, John Cochran, announced that he had been authorized by Dr. Sprague to make the following statement of Senator Stone's condition:

"Senator Stone had a restless night. This morning his pulse was 120; temperature, 101.8; respiration, 28. No motion of left leg or arm. Is taking liquid nourishment fairly well."

## MESSINES HOLDS FIRM AGAINST HUN BLOWS

Counter-Offensive in Festubert Sector Drives Germans Back—Attacks in Laon District Fail Under Stand of Allies

TROOPS STRENGTHENED  
BY HAIG'S STERN ORDER

One Hundred and Ten Teuton Divisions Have Been Used Since Battle Opened March 21; Huge Offensive Marches

LONDON, April 13.—The British counter-offensive in the Festubert sector of the great battle line along the Franco-Belgian frontier is gaining strength and another advance of the British lines was noted today. Heavy fighting has continued at Neuve-Eglise and in the neighborhood of Wolvelghem, where the Germans have been directing strong pressure in an effort to shake the hold of the British upon the Messines ridge.

A number of strong attacks were delivered by the Germans in the Laon district, but broke down under the firm resistance of the British. (Festubert is between eleven and twelve miles southwest of Arras, and about eighteen miles north of Laon. The same sector was the scene of a British advance on Thursday when the Germans were thrown out of positions they had occupied.)

MARSHAL HAIG'S ORDER STRENGTHENS TROOPS

Strengthened by Field Marshal Haig's stern order that "there must be no retirement," and by the knowledge that French troops are coming to their aid, British soldiers engaging the Germans along the Franco-Belgian frontier are holding out bravely against overwhelming odds in one of the bloodiest battles the world has ever seen.

That the struggle, which began with the German drive against Amiens on March 21, has reached a crucial phase, was shown by Field Marshal Haig's pregnant phrase, "We are fighting with our backs to the wall."

While the Germans have been able to extend their lines in some places between La Bassée canal and the Ypres-Comines canal in Belgium, the British have maintained ground of the greatest strategic value.

The Germans, during the past twenty-four hours, have been making a determined effort to break into Baillieu.

Baillieu is between six and seven miles northeast of Arras on the road which parallels the Hazebrouck railway.

110 GERMAN DIVISIONS HAVE BEEN USED ON FRONT

Enormous masses of men have been employed by the Germans and in his official dispatches to the British war office last night Field Marshal Haig said that 110 German divisions have been identified along the 125-mile battlefront since the mighty combat began on March 21.

(At the beginning of the war it was reckoned that a German division consisted of 20,000 men. Since that time, on account of their heavy losses, the Germans have reduced the size of their divisions and it is now estimated that a division includes about 12,000 bayonets.)

"Strong pressure has been maintained by the Germans all day south and southwest of Baillieu," said the Friday night report of the British war office. "Constant attacks have been made in this area and they are still continuing. British troops have been pressed back slowly in continuous fighting to positions in the neighborhood of the Baillieu railway, where they are now heavily engaged with the enemy. Bitter fighting occurred also on the battle zone in other parts of the front north of La Bassée canal, where the enemy was able to make slight progress between the Tave and Clarence rivers. At other points our positions have been maintained."

"Over 110 German divisions so far have been engaged since the beginning of the battle on March 21. Over forty of these divisions have been (Continued on Page 2, Col. 5-6)

## Wilson's Speech Is Altered, Is Charged

ZURICH, Switzerland, April 13.—According to the Mannheim Volksstimme, the Wolf Bureau, the semi-official news agency in Germany, omitted two long passages from President Wilson's speech, entirely changing its character, and placing it much in another light.

## Givenchy, Festubert Scenes Of English Victories, While French Take Hangard

BULLETIN:  
PARIS, April 13.—The city of Rheims is in flames. The French are attempting to limit the burning area, working under a heavy shelling. German gunfire has scored a direct hit on the Amiens cathedral.

(By United Press)  
PARIS, April 13.—Allied troops again hold the entire village of Hangard-En-Santerre, ten miles southeast of Amiens, the French war office announced today.

Counter-attacks drove the enemy completely out of the village, the communique said.

"The Germans have renewed their attacks in the Apremont forest (on the American Toul sector)," the war office continued.

"Americans co-operating with us, fought vigorously, breaking down most of our enemy's attempts. Forty enemy prisoners have been taken in this region since yesterday."

"Between Montdidier and Noyon (a twenty-mile front) there were heavy bombardments," the communique said.

"North of Orvillers-Sovel, two enemy surprise attacks failed."

LONDON, April 13.—The British are holding at all points on the Flanders fighting front and in one place advanced slightly, Field Marshal Haig reported today.

"We advanced slightly and took a few prisoners in the region of Festubert," Haig said. "East of Locon, the enemy, in a strong attack, succeeded in entering the line at certain points, but was driven out and a second attack was beaten off."

## TODAY'S WAR SUMMARY

The west front, from the Ypres-Comines Canal southward to the Oise, has now practically been welded into one continuous battle line. This is 75 miles in an air line, but along the ramifications of the German advance it probably measures twice that distance.

The hardest fighting still continues on the new front in Flanders where the enemy is trying to reach Baillieu and Bethune. In Picardy, however, the Germans are again driving against Amiens and the French admitted they were progressing there in yesterday's fighting.

Only 16 miles, from the La Bassée to the Scarpe river, separates the southern hinge of the British retirement in the north and the northern hinge of their retirement in the south. Along this narrow strip, there is continuous artillery fighting and occasional enemy raids. There is every reason to believe that Hindenburg will strive to straighten out his line here shortly by striking westward from Lens against the French.

A penetration at this point would permit a flank attack on Vimy ridge and later Arras, by the enemy's left wing, and against Loos and Bethune by his right wing.

Vimy Ridge is recognized as the key to the important positions on this 16-mile front. It posts Arras, the possession of which by the British is generally regarded as one of the chief factors in retarding Hindenburg's advance in Picardy.

The Germans are becoming more active in Lorraine, an extensive raid against allied positions in Spremont forest, four miles east of St. Mihiel yesterday being reported in the French communique and despatches from the American front. The enemy gained a slight footing in advanced positions but later was ousted in a counter attack by American and French troops.

By WILLIAM PHILLIP SIMMS,  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES IN FRANCE, April 13.—The British front, after continuous fighting all day yesterday between La Bassée and Messines ridge (a fifteen-mile front), was withdrawn west of Merville early this morning and rested along the eastern edge of Nieuve-Eglise.

Missed German divisions are exerting great pressure toward Baillieu from the south, determinedly attempting to make a wide breach in the British front, in order to imperil the troops holding the Paschendale sector, in which Ypres is located, and Messines ridge.

## SEES HUSBAND BURN TO DEATH; WIFE IS DYING

OJAI, April 13.—Emotion under an overturned buggy and so badly injured she could not move, Mrs. Chester Lopez, 22, saw her husband burn to death before her eyes and is dying today from the shock.

Lopez, with his wife and child, was returning from a neighbor's when the vehicle toppled over an embankment, upsetting. A lantern which Lopez carried exploded and spraved flaming oil upon him. Blinded, he fell almost at his wife's feet and was burned to an unrecognizable mass before the child could race for help.

## Approve Revocation of Alliance Charter

WASHINGTON, April 13.—The Senate judiciary subcommittee in executive session today voted unanimously to recommend passage of the King resolution calling for the disbanding of the German-American Alliance. It decided to end its investigation, convinced by evidence already offered that the alliance charter should be revoked.

## Draft Amendment Is Adopted by House

WASHINGTON, April 13.—Following a bitter three-day fight, the House today passed amendments to the draft law providing that men for the national army shall be selected on basis of the number of men in class one, rather than on population. The measure passed by a vote of 225 to 3.



CRITICAL STAGE REACHED IN BATTLE

FOCH'S GREAT OFFENSIVE TO SAVE ALLIES

BULLETIN. WITH THE FRENCH ARMY'S IN THE FRENCH ARMY'S (2,100,000 men) on the west front, 115 have already been engaged. Of these, seventy-five have been withdrawn on account of losses, which, according to the French method, average about 2500 to the divisions. Adding the estimated losses of divisions still engaged makes the total minimum enemy losses 300,000.

By JOHN EDWIN NEVIN, International News Service Staff Correspondent. WASHINGTON, April 13.—General Foch must take the offensive at some point on the western front within the coming 48 hours if the situation in extreme Northern France is to be saved. Military experts here today declare that the latest order of Field Marshal Haig, commanding the hard-pressed British forces that are blocking the Hun way to the channel, means that his situation is most serious.

It means that he has pressed all of his reserves and these are believed here to include the American army sent to his aid by General Pershing, into service. Every gun and every man of the British forces in France is now being utilized to hold back the German press. And General Haig's ringing words, "Every position must be held to the last man, there must be no retirement," have stirred Washington to its depths.

RELAY TO FUCH TO LENSEN GREAT PRESSURE. There is no one who doubts that this will be done. But it also is equally certain that the pressure must be lessened and the United States is relying upon General Foch, the French generalissimo, to do this. How the act is not considered of consequence. It must be at once, military experts say. And they are watching the entire battle line for the first indication of the French advance which will carry the battle directly to the German borders.

Hindenburg has thrown 108 divisions into the fray, according to General Haig's address to his men. Entente and American experts here, familiar with the situation, believe that he has not less than fifty more that can be called on, although it is not known here just how available they are to the present battle line. But that they will be brought up unless Foch acts promptly is certain, as there is no doubt that anywhere in Washington that the German plan is to crush the British army at all costs and win the way to the coast if possible.

INCREASING ACTIVITY AT HUN NAVAL BASES. The last lingering doubt of this was dispelled when the word came through Swiss and Danish sources that there is increasing activity in the German naval bases, especially at Kiel and about Heligoland. The German fleet is simply a division of the German army. It has been held like other reserves for the moment when the high command believed that it could be utilized to the greatest effect. That moment seems today to be approaching fast. To do this, a force of 100,000 men will be required. It is at this moment that the fleet is out. It may be used in an effort to cover the landing of a German army between Haig's line. It may be used to cover the landing of a force in Britain. It may be used in an effort to tempt a general sea raid. But wherever it is used it will have to cope with the British grand fleet, which now is reinforced. Secretary of the Navy, Daniels, has let it be known by many first-line American fighting craft, including battleships. This means that the long-looked-for naval battle must materialize unless at the last moment the German plans are changed.

Kaiser Expresses His Confidence in Austria

AMSTERDAM, April 13.—The Kaiser has telegraphed Emperor Karl the following, according to a despatch from Vienna: "I accept my heartfelt thanks for your statement repudiating the French people's assertion. I listen to assure you that not for a moment have I doubted that you have made our cause yours. Our enemies, unable to prevail honorably, resort to the lowest and most sordid methods. It is our duty to grapple ruthlessly and beat them in all war theaters."

Interned Captain Dies in Hospital

RIO JANEIRO, April 13.—Captain Reichold of the interned German gunboat Uher is dead at the marine hospital. The German gunboat Uher was lying in the port of Bahia when Brazil entered the war against Germany. The boat was sent to her crew, which was interned. The gunboat later was interned.

American Birdmen Win Service Cross

PARIS, April 13.—James Norman Hall, of Colfax, is captain of an aviation section, and Paul Frank Borg, of Alameda, is a lieutenant, are the first American aviators to win the distinction of service cross of the American army.

POST TOASTIES SWEET FLAVORY CORN FLAKES.

How Tribune Is Printed to Be Film Feature at T. & D. Sunday



Were you in the crowd at the dedication of the new Tribune building? The movie man "shot" you if you were. See yourself on the screen at the T. & D. tomorrow.

Every Detail in Making of a Great Newspaper, From Editorial Room to Press Room, From Editor to Copy Boy, Faithfully Pictured

Are YOU a movie star? You may be—who knows? You can tell, by looking at yourself in the movies, if you happened, as thousands did, to be at THE TRIBUNE dedication. For the eagle eye of the camera producer, singled every one out; it saw all and recorded all; and, beginning tomorrow, at the T. & D., Oakland will have a chance to see how Oakland looks in the films. It says there is material for many a Douglas Fairbanks, a F. W. Hart, or Charlie Chaplin, or Mary Pickford, among those whose faces are recorded on his film.

A REMARKABLE PICTURE. For years picture men have tried to take a complete picture of the workings of a newspaper plant, but never could, because stereotypers, presses, and often all other machinery, were in basements and in the dark. But when THE TRIBUNE moved into its modern plant, with every bit of its machinery perfectly lighted by sunlight, byers hurried to Oakland and to take what is its magnanimous offer.

The film, using THE TRIBUNE plant as its model, shows every intricate detail of the making of a great newspaper. It shows how the reporters, editors and copy readers work. It follows the copy down the pneumatic tubes to the composing room. It shows the linotype machine with a metal brain. Closeups show every detail of the linotype operation and show exactly how the finished type is turned out. It shows in detail how the type is assembled into forms, how the stereotypers make "mats" of these and mould the plates for the mammoth presses. It shows the giant Hoe sextuple press in operation.

EVERY DETAIL IS SHOWN. Closeups of every vital part, showing how rolls of paper are printed, cut, folded and packed; how the papers are whirled to waiting newsboys by electric elevators, every detail is seen. It is like standing at the elbow of the workman in every department, and his own explanations are written in the captions that explain every move. It is the only permanent exposition of a newspaper in operation in the history of cinematography, and therefore one of the most valuable educational films ever made.

The record-breaking picture will be a feature of a mammoth program at the T. & D. commencing tomorrow at noon, the showing starting at this time on account of the magnitude of the program. Tomorrow's bill will run continuous to 11:30 p. m. Alice Brady will appear in "Woman and Wife" and Carmel Meyer will take the lead in "Red Red Heart." Edna Jamn Chaplin will offer another of his wonderful impersonations of Abraham Lincoln in "A Call to Arms."

Frank Spaulding, Uncle Sam's soloist, Ticker's remarkable orchestra, becomes an assistant chief of staff and head of the division of purchases, storage and traffic. The latter division is the result of the consolidation of the divisions of storage, traffic purchases and supplies.

Colonel Hugh S. Johnson, who assisted in the successful enactment of the draft law as a staff provost marshal general, will become assistant to General Goethals, succeeding Brigadier General Palmer E. Pierce. The position of successor general of supplies held in Edward R. Stettinius, now an assistant secretary of war, is abolished. Unveiling of the changes was made by Major General Peyton C. March, acting chief of staff. General Goethals' promotion is considered a recognition of his work as acting quartermaster general.

The reorganization presages an immediate "speed up" in all war plans, and this is especially true of the aviation program. The abolition of the position held by Stettinius was taken in some quarters to foreshadow his selection by the President as the man to take charge of aircraft production.

U. S. TROOPS Counter; 30 Huns Taken. American Forces in Toul Sector Again Repulse Heavy German Attacks. PARIS, April 13.—American forces in the Toul sector repulsed two heavy German attacks yesterday and fighting was continuing at a late hour last night, when the last advances were repelled from that front.

The Germans began a severe bombardment of the American positions at 6 o'clock, in the morning following up with an infantry attack. The assault was broken up and the Americans immediately counter-attacked, inflicting some losses on the enemy and capturing thirty, of which five were Ukrainians.

The second German attack started at 11 a. m. There was sharp fighting throughout the day. At a late hour the Americans had recovered an observation hill which the enemy had occupied for a short time.

FEDERAL BANKS MAKE MANY LOANS. WASHINGTON, April 13.—About one-fifth of the farm loan business of the United States now is being done by the Federal farm loan system. This was indicated today by the Federal Farm Loan Board's report that in March 1918 loans amounting to \$2,417,000 were made by twelve banks, making the average size of a loan \$2000 and the total federal loans now outstanding \$78,000,000. It is estimated that the monthly farm loan business, federal and private, is \$60,000,000 and the total outstanding farm mortgage loans about \$2,000,000,000.

Business of the St. Paul federal bank in March fell to \$17,000,000 loaned to 251 persons, a decrease of the temporary suspension of operations at North Dakota, where a conflict developed between state and federal loan laws. Other banks reported the number of loans and totals closed as follows: Springfield, Mass., 160, \$128,000; Baltimore, 267, \$370,000; Columbia, S. C., 275, \$570,000; Louisville, 288, \$505,000; New Orleans, 568, \$1,674,000; St. Louis, 497, \$1,024,000; Omaha, 629, \$3,218,000; Wichita, 591, \$2,000,000; Houston, 400, \$1,711,000; Berkeley, 215, \$877,000; Spokane, 526, \$1,922,000.

TO SPEED UP WAR PREPARATIONS

WASHINGTON, April 13.—New impetus to war preparations is expected to result from a radical reorganization of the general staff, announced yesterday afternoon. Major General G. W. Goethals, who has been acting quartermaster general, becomes an assistant chief of staff and head of the division of purchases, storage and traffic. The latter division is the result of the consolidation of the divisions of storage, traffic purchases and supplies.

U. S. LAYS AWAY GIFT OF KAISER IN MOTH BALLS

WASHINGTON, April 13.—The bronze statue of Frederick the Great, which has ornamented the western facade of the War College building on the banks of the Potomac here, was today being packed away to a "parked away" safe place. It is understood that the statue was removed at the instance of President Wilson, who has taken notice of bitter criticisms expressed in Congress and elsewhere over perking the statue to remain.

Women Discuss Wide Variety of Subjects

The Women's Legislative Council of California held upon its second day session in a reference to conference at the Palms Hotel in San Francisco, when the bills suggested for endorsement and the platform of the Legislative Council for the next meeting of the State Legislature were further discussed. Some of the bills were as follows: Property, marriage, divorce, child support, etc. The majority of the bills were of a character to come into direct contact with the welfare of school funds, character in the system, etc. A school in Southern California, reformation of the Los Angeles Normal school to a teachers college, separation of the state and local in Berkeley, the state and local in Berkeley, providing for a commission on divorce and a separate property bill for married women.

Alchinous, Torpedoed, Limp Back to Port

AN ALCHINIC TORPEDO, April 13.—The British steamship Alchinous, bound from England to the port, was torpedoed by a German submarine, but managed to make her way back to port according to information received by importers in this city today.

Messines Still Holding Firm Counter Offensive Is Begun

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thrown into the fighting two or three times. It was not until Friday that the Germans claimed the capture of Valenciennes, although the British evacuated it on Wednesday evening. The night report of the German command said: "Our victorious troops are proceeding through the wide (Lys) river, and between Armentieres and Merille."

The British soldiers defending Valenciennes fought so bravely that they won even the praise of the German command. The official report said that the garrison of 2000 men and fifty officers only laid down their arms after the most desperate resistance.

GERMAN PRESSURE STEADILY INCREASES

The German pressure in the battle zone north of the Picardy field has steadily increased, but whether or not it has yet reached its zenith is still to be seen. The general order issued by Field Marshal Haig to all ranks of the British army indicated that still stronger attacks are to be expected. Drawing a line directly southward from Ypres toward La Bassée, it can be seen that the British line has been bent for a distance of nearly ten miles in the sector of the Lys river.

The German juggles immediately north of the Lys river have evidently been aimed at the envelopment of the British positions defending the famous Messines ridge on the West Flanders front. All frontal attacks against the ridge have failed, however. It is true that the Germans gained some ground, but before they could consolidate their positions they were thrown back by strong counter-thrusts.

(The town of Messines is reported to be in German hands but it does not lie upon the ridge proper, but at the northern end of this strip of high ground.) A feature of the fighting in Northern France, outside of the strictly military zone, is the fact that the German advances since Wednesday morning have been made on the small strip of coal mine fields still held by the French. The greater part of the French coal producing territory was controlled by the Germans north and south of Lens, but there were some mines to the north of this zone. That is the district in which the Germans are now delivering their utmost desperate assaults.

PROVE THAT HUNS ARE STAKING ALL. That the Germans are staking all upon this "gambler's chance" in the war is virtually certain. So far 1,500,000 German troops have been thrown into the fray, not counting the reserves and the forces massed on other parts of the western front. It has not yet been revealed whether or not the Germans plan a drive in some other district in France and military critics are generally coming to the opinion that the offensive had the following for its objects:

1. A drive in the Amiens sector, with the purpose of putting a wedge into the British line.

Have you been out to "The Oaks," where Portola camped at head of Lakeshore Ave.? Look for the tent.—Advertisement.

TEUTON-JAPAN-FINN DESIGN ON RUSS, CLAIM

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS. LONDON, April 13.—Germany has agreed to the establishment of a state railway connecting the Baltic coast with the Arctic, according to Swedish press reports forwarded in an Exchange Telegraph despatch from Copenhagen. In the event that Germany wins on the western front, the despatch says, she will begin a new war against Russia, co-operating with the Finns.

Ship Workers Will Give Ball Tonight

Ten thousand invitations have been issued for the first grand ball to be given by the Shipbuilders' Athletic Association tonight and it is expected that the capacity of the Municipal Auditorium will be taxed to the utmost. Invitations have been sent to the shipyard workers in San Francisco and other bay points. Charles Martin, Peter Starasimich and William (Bill) Kenworthy are heading the committee. This ball will serve to announce the opening tomorrow of the association's baseball league in Fruitvale Recreation Park and Emeryville Park.

There will be one of these dances twice a month and every other Tuesday night there will be athletic events in the Auditorium.

Beautiful marine view lots for \$500 at "The Oaks," end of Lakeshore Ave., where Portola camped.—Advertisement.

HELLO EVERYBODY! Come Out to FUNLAND=JOYLAND Come Out to IDORA PARK. SHOES for the FAMILY. Saturday, April 13th, \$5 shoe orders given as gate prices at 5:00 p. m. and 10:30 p. m. CHAMPION WRESTLERS of the U. S. ARMY. In free bouts in amphitheatre 3:00 p. m. and 8:15 p. m. SUNDAY, APRIL 14. ALL CARS LEAD TO IDORA.

HEAR CAPTAIN "PEGG" OF THE CELEBRATED "CANADIAN ROUGH NECKS" Tell of His Three and One-Half Years in the Trenches A THRILLING STORY! FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday Morning

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## Hynes Volunteers As Aged Woman's Lawyer

District Attorney W. H. L. Hynes has volunteered his services as an attorney to Mrs. Melinda F. Lewis, an 80-year-old ward of the county, to protect her title to two parcels of land in East Oakland. Control of the property is asked by Mrs. Eliza Malleson, who claims to be the legal guardian of the aged patient.

"If Mrs. Lewis cannot employ an attorney to protect her interests in the matter I will take the case myself," said the district attorney.

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# HOTEL WOULD LIKE TO SEE BURTON AGAIN

Following his departure, after having left, it is alleged, an unpaid hotel bill, an envelope, supposed to contain \$10,000, but found to contain only soft paper, and a number of letters in a "Mexican mine," detectives are today searching for the recent guest at the Hotel Oakland who was known as "Charles P. Burton," and talked of mining interests in Mexico and millions.

"Burton," after staying at the hotel, several days, left one day by one door while Assistant Manager Maurice Schenck waited at another with his bill, so Schenck says, and leaving behind an angry investor, Perrin, a local engineer, and possibly others.

"Burton's" baggage is still at the hotel. It consists of a shirt and collar, a pair of shoes, and a notebook containing addresses of men in Los Angeles and also some notations in Spanish. Schenck has turned the case over to a detective agency, which is following the trail here and in several other cities.

The guest arrived on April 6, registering as "Charles P. Burton, Los Angeles." Some of his baggage is so marked, and the rest is marked "George Burton." The detective believe that he is the same man who, under the name "Burton," worked the trick in several California cities.

"Burton" became friendly with guests and local business men at once. He interested Perrin, an engineer in his stocks, and through Perrin met others whom he interested. Later, when one of his investors expressed doubt in his ventures, "Burton" is said to have produced an envelope containing \$10,000 in bills, which he deposited with ceremony in the hotel safe. During the evening, Schenck alleged, he adroitly shifted envelopes, and the envelope now there contained soft paper—but not soft enough to smooth the ruffled feelings of the investors or the hotel management. Schenck at once called in detectives.

"Facts about Oakland's Cafe Night" will be the theme of an address to be given tomorrow evening by the pulpit of the First Congregational church by Edwin E. Grant, former state senator and now executive for the State Law Enforcement League. The meeting will begin at 7:45 o'clock.

Grant will also cover the charges he made against Oakland cafes in his letter to Secretary of the Navy Daniels at the mass meeting at the Congregational church last Tuesday night and at a conference with Commissioner F. E. Jackson and Chief of Police J. H. Nedderman Thursday.

## Two Are Held on Charge of Sedition

ALAMEDA, April 13.—Charged with sedition and threatening violence, two employees of the Alameda Union Iron Works plant were today being held by the federal department of justice.

The two arrested men are Timothy Moriarty of 1362 East Twenty-seventh street, Oakland, and Louis A. Lambert of 732 East Eighteenth street, Oakland. Moriarty is a native of Ireland, 50 years of age, and has lived in this country 23 years. Lambert is a native of Vermont, 41 years of age and has lived in Alameda county for 14 years. Both men are ship carpenters.

The arrest was preceded by a hostile demonstration against the two men by several hundred employees of the plant. Even after the two men were taken into custody by Police Officer Arthur S. Blum, the demonstrators threatened violence against the prisoners continued.

The trouble occurred at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon while a change of shifts was being made. The two men are reported to have first refused to purchase Liberty bonds, later refused to make refusal with allied sedition talk. Among the sedition words alleged are the words "To hell with Liberty bonds."

## Piedmont Fireman Strangely Missing

Fred Cole, a member of the Piedmont Fire Department, has disappeared and no trace of him can be found by his relatives or the police. He left home at Fifty-first avenue and East Fourteenth street Wednesday morning for work but did not report at the fire house and has not been seen since. Other members of the Fire Department are looking for him with whom he lived, are mystified and can give no reason for his disappearance. He appeared in good health and spirits when he left home and there was no indication that there was anything wrong. Besides being a fireman, Cole cooked for the firemen.

He is 39 years old, 5 feet 8 1/2 inches in height, slightly built, of dark complexion, and at the time of his disappearance wore a brown suit, a dark derby hat and tan shoes. His last seen had not been informed of his disappearance.



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These tablets are wonder-workers on the liver and bowels, which cause a normal action, carrying off the waste and poisonous matter in one's system. If you have a pale face, yellowish, dull eyes, pimples, coated tongue, headaches, a listless, no-good feeling, all out of sorts, inactive bowels, you take one of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets nightly for a time and note the pleasing results.

Thousands of women as well as men take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the successful substitute for calomel—now and then just to keep in the pink of condition. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

# Here's Your Chance, Boy, To See the Circus, Free



Animals that "never can be trained," according to former beliefs, are to be found performing difficult feats in the AL. G. BARNES Circus. The picture shows a trainer and two "untrainables."

Any boy or girl under 15 years of age in Oakland or vicinity may have free tickets to Al. G. Barnes' big wild animal circus by hunting up the names of wild animals and following the rules laid down by the Wild Animal Contest. The TRIBUNE is conducting for boys and girls.

Barnes is known as the animal wizard because he has taught animals believed to be unmanageable to do circus tricks and makes up an entire circus program of exclusive performing animals. Over 1200 animals are carried by this big show and 600 people, two trains of double length cars are needed to haul them and they are all coming to Oakland April 19 and 20.

There will be a great street parade at 10:30 each morning showing all open dens of animals. Elephants, llamas, camels and zebras will be seen drawing golden dens containing lions, tigers and other jungle beasts. After the parade there will be a free exhibit in front of the main tent at 1 p. m. and at the same hour the doors to the big top will open.

These are the terms of the contest that will result in those who are clever receiving free tickets:

In the sentence, "Wild Animal Circus Actors Prize Contest," are seven letters of the alphabet, enough

to spell several hundred names of different wild animals.

Each letter may be used as often as necessary in spelling the name. Only the names of wild animals may be used. Animals that have been domesticated such as horse, cow, cat, etc., or names of birds, insects or rodents are not allowed.

Names must be spelled correctly and not used more than once in the same list.

Only one side of the paper must be used and the names numbered.

Answers must be addressed to "The Wild Animal Editor, The TRIBUNE," Coupon clipped from The TRIBUNE and properly filled out must be pinned to the lists.

The prizes are awarded according to the longest correct list in the following manner:

1st Prize—Six reserved seat tickets to the circus.

2nd Prize—Four reserved seat tickets to the circus.

3rd Prize—Three reserved seat tickets to the circus.

4th Prize—Two reserved seat tickets to the circus.

5th Prize—Two general admission tickets to the circus.

Next Thirty-three Prizes—One general admission ticket each to the circus.

THE TRIBUNE WILD ANIMAL PRIZE CONTEST.

I hereby certify I am not over 15 years of age, and I submit names of wild animals in my prize contest for free tickets to the Al. G. Barnes Big Four-Ring Wild Animal Circus exhibiting in Oakland on Friday, April 19.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

From the TRIBUNE the TOWER

Tony Dutra is an industrious worker, but a man must sleep. That's why, when Jack Miller went through the California Cotton Mills, inspecting the night shift work he found Tony lying all asleep on his feet. The man would open one eye, adjust his loom, and drop back almost immediately to his condition of standing slumber. He just could not stay awake.

"If he won't do!" expostulated Miller, after watching him a few minutes. "I can't have a man working who sleeps all the time. If you want to sleep, sleep in the day time!"

"Boss, no can sleep daytime!" explained Tony. "Daytime work for Dan Hanlon shipyard. Too much noise."

# ALAMEDA COUNTY S. S. HOLD ELECTION

Officers of the Alameda County Sunday School Association were elected at the association's annual convention in the Eighth Avenue Methodist Church as follows: President, Rev. Bruce McDonald of Calvary Presbyterian Church, Berkeley; vice-presidents, A. U. Brunk, W. H. Riggs, Professor Albert and L. Thompson; secretary, W. E. Norman; superintendent of elementary department, Mrs. A. U. Brunk; superintendent of teen age department, Marvin M. Brown; superintendent of adult department, Robert C. Root, superintendent of administration department, Professor H. C. Ingram.

Two hundred delegates attended the closing session of the convention last night. Banners for the largest attendance were awarded to the Twenty-third Avenue Baptist and the Ward Memorial Methodist Sunday School.

Dr. Laplace A. McAfee, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Berkeley, delivered an address on "Teacher and His Bible" at the afternoon session yesterday. Department conferences were held by Mrs. A. C. Brandt, Mrs. D. H. Mademan and others.

Dr. C. L. Kloss of the Plymouth Congregational Church, gave the principal address of the evening, his topic being "The Conservation of Child Life."

## DEATHS

CASE—In this city, April 11, 1918, Earl Vernon Case, husband of Margaret Case, a native of Missouri, aged 41 years, 5 months and 23 days.

Remains at the chapel of Grant D. Miller, 2772 First Avenue, Oakland, 23 days.

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# Hays Holds Bi-Party Conference State and Nation Affairs, Theme

Will H. Hays, chairman of the Republican National Committee, is conferring with Republicans and Progressives of Central California and of Nevada today at his headquarters in the Hotel St. Francis in San Francisco, having arrived last night from Sacramento. He made a short stop at Sacramento on his tour of the country to visit Governor Stephens. He will leave for Los Angeles late tomorrow night.

Hays will be the guest of honor tonight at a banquet to be attended by the Republicans and Progressives of California to be held at the Palace hotel. A large delegation from Alameda county will cross the bay to take part in the reception to the new national Republican leader.

On his arrival at the Oakland pier last night, Hays was met by William H. Crocker, California National Republican committeeman; Raymond Benjamin, chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, and Percy J. Long, chairman of the State Progressive Committee. He lost no time after greetings had been exchanged in setting forth the purposes of his tour.

"I am making the tour for two purposes. First, to boost the Liberty Loan and increase the interest in the war everywhere. Second, to meet Republicans and other friends and to increase my party's interest and full support of the war."

Speaking of the California situation, Hays said: "It is the function of the National Committee to elect candidates, not to select them. I added that he would recognize no factions. It was stated that he would not be called upon to do so, the personnel of the reception committee which met him at the Oakland mole being indicative of the harmony which will mark the position of Californians in greeting the Republican leader. Hays said he looked for harmony among the leaders here, and referred to the fact that his letters concerning his coming visit, which he had addressed to John W. Brown, Lodge, Smoot, Penrose, Root, Borah, Feltner, Hughes, Whitman and Barnes.

The conferences today began at 10 o'clock this morning, and will continue until late this afternoon and all day tomorrow. A special conference was arranged for today with the Republican leaders from Nevada, Chairman Whitman, Starnes of the executive committee of the Nevada Republican State Central Committee, and Temporary Secretary H. B. Maxson having been delegated to confer with Hays.

COMES WITH MESSAGE. Hays will deliver his message to California Republicans and Progressives at the big banquet tonight at the Palace hotel, which will be one of the most notable Republican events of the present year. Speaking of his tour of the country, which has included visits to the cities of the Northwest and will be concluded by a return through the Southwest and

South to his home in Indiana, Hays said: "The Republican party stands to a man for three things. First, to win the war now. Second, for a peace by victory and not by compromise bargaining. Third, to prepare in a sane manner for the reconstruction which will come after the war."

"The real business in this country now for every one is to win the war. Everything else is chaos. On the question of the war there is but one side. On that side absolutely supporting the country's cause shall stand every political party and every member of every political party entitled to any consideration whatsoever."

"Let there be no peace for that man who aids the enemies of his country by irresponsible utterances within the law—keen brains with traitorous hearts, the one product of the war which is inexpressibly despicable."

"MORE BONDS, LESS BLOOD." More bonds mean less blood. Our immediate duty is the third Liberty loan. We must buy and buy and buy until it hurts, and continue to buy until it quits hurting. The necessary expense of the government are incalculable. Of all the crimes possible of conception the greatest is to send our brave men to give their lives and then not give them that support without which their efforts are useless.

"We will strive, fight, buy, give and die until victorious American arms have forever ended the intolerable arrogance of that scientifically trained brutality, until we have a peace by victory, and never a peace by compromise bargaining."

"I am frequently asked about the question of criticizing the administration. Let me say that although unity of the nation is essential to winning the war, constructive criticism is also necessary."

"I would want to assume that such criticism is warranted. I am not a politician. I absolutely can't begin to understand the mental processes or the heart beats of men in high authority in this awful crisis who wish otherwise, and any pretense to neglect to use every possible efficient instrument that will help win this terrible war, when the need of them is so appalling, would be most reprehensible."

DAY OF ACCOUNTING. "There will be an awful accounting demanded for such action as sure as is certain the intelligence and patriotism of the American people. I am sure that those who offer constructive criticism according to their patriotic judgment will also be fair enough and candid enough to commend when there is ground for commendation."

"There will always be politics in this country. We are a nation of political parties. There will be no politics this year in anything that touches the war. The Democratic party has been busy with patriotic activities for months. We will have political activities, but I propose that we have them open and acknowledged and of a character and on a plane that needs no subterfuge."

"Hays said that the Republican would carry California in the gubernatorial election next November as "California is a naturally Republican state." As to the Presidential election of 1920, he said that he was not thinking of that at this time.

In response to the question, "what stand will the national committee take on the wet and dry question?" Hays said that he did not wish to answer the query.

## Oakland to Welcome Veterans

Technical High School Band; Presentation of the Women and Girl Workers of the Civil War, '61 to '65, Capt. W. R. Thomas; Original Poem, Fred Emerson Brooks; Boy Scouts Drills and Stunts, Dance of 61, Comrades G. A. R., Members of the W. R. C. and Ladies of G. A. R.; Selection by Technical High School Band; Drill, Technical High School Cadets; Community Singing led by Prof. Glenn H. Woods; Dancing in Costume by Oakland School Children, Anled by G. H. Evans, Head Supervisor Physical Education; Moose Drill, "White Drill Team," Oakland Lodge No. 324, Loyal Order of Moose, America, Audience.

THURSDAY, MAY 9. 7:30 to 8:45 p. m.—Woman's Relief Corps Reception, W. R. C. Headquarters, Hotel Oakland. 9 p. m.—Reception to Department Commander and Staff by Affiliated Organizations G. A. R., Ivory Ball Room, Hotel Oakland, Jeanette D. Dyke, Chairman Reception Committee.

Dancing, Grand March led by Department Commander and Department President; music by Cray's Orchestra; selection by Carol Quartette, Barbara Miller, Edith L. Woodward, Marion Taylor, Margery Kimball.

FRIDAY, MAY 10. 2 p. m.—Idors Park, admittance by badge. 8 p. m.—Dance, Sons and Daughters of Veterans, Ball Room Auditorium; music by Cray's Orchestra.

Take the family out to "The Oaks" to see where Portola camped in 1759. Head of Lakeshore Ave.—Advertisement.

Following is the general program: MONDAY, MAY 6. 8:30 p. m.—Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic Reception at Auditorium ballroom.

TUESDAY, MAY 7. 8 p. m.—Grand Army of the Republic Night, Municipal Theater—Auditorium.

PROGRAM. Remarks, chairman of the evening, Capt. W. R. Thomas: Welcome to Grand Army and Affiliated Organizations, Mayor Davies; Response, Department Commander C. H. Hastings, G. A. R.; Department President, Capt. W. R. C. and Ladies of G. A. R.; Sarah M. Moore; Division Commander, Sons of Veterans, Geo. R. Whited; Department President, Daughters of Veterans, Edna Wadsworth; Division President, Sons of Veterans Auxiliary, Laola T. Wood; Remarks, Commander-in-Chief Orlando A. Somers; National President W. R. C., Lois M. Knauft; solo, Star-Spangled Banner, Alma Brooks; Address, Hon. Joseph E. Knowland; Music, Capt. Leo Chapter, O. E. S. Quartette—Castle Landslide, Mrs. F. R. Woolsey, Mrs. Bowerstath, Blanche Young; accompanist, Gertrude Roff; Address, Oak Leaf Chapter, O. E. S. Quartette; Finale, Grand Tableau Address of Liberty, Eva Princes Sawyer.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8. 10 a. m.—Grand Parade, J. R. Seupham, Marshal; Tom Reed and Edwin W. Woodward, Aides to Marshal; Technical High School Band, Platoon of Oakland Police, Sons of Veterans, Grand Army of the Republic, Woman's Relief Corps Department Officers, Ladies of the G. A. R., Daughters of Veterans, Auxiliary to Sons of Veterans, Oakland Technical High School Cadets, Boy Scouts, Firemen's Band, Daughters of Veterans, Dism Corps, Flag Line—Members of W. R. C. and Ladies of G. A. R., Daughters of Veterans, Auxiliary to Sons of Veterans, Band.

1 p. m.—Presentation of Flag to Technical High School by Woman's Relief Corps. (Take College Avenue car.)

2:30 p. m.—Berkeley Welcomes G. A. R. and Affiliated Organizations—Geek Theater. (Take College or Telegraph car direct.)

8 p. m.—Citizens' Night—Arena—Municipal Auditorium; Grand Opening.

Why don't you and your wife go and see "The Oaks" where Portola camped in 1759? Head of Lakeshore Ave.—Advertisement.

# Blossom Seeley Is Coming to Oakland



BLOSSOM SEELEY.

Blossom Seeley is coming to Oakland! This is the good news that has come to Oakland Orpheum fans and baseball fans alike, for, besides being the undisputed High Potentate of Syncope, famous wherever ragtime is loved, is she not also Mrs. Rube Marquard, wife of the celebrated baseball player? Indeed, she is.

Blossom Seeley was a pioneer of syncope. She had become already a famous star of musical comedy and then of vaudeville, but the "Taz Stuffs" added to her fame. She was the first and only "Taz" singer to be deemed appropriate for a stellar spot in a two-dollar Broadway show, and then they kept her and kept her there until she thought she'd never get back to her beloved vaudeville again. But Martin Beck called her, as usual when Martin Beck calls, she came, and that's how she happens to be in Oakland this week.

All of Oakland is interested. The telephone bell in the Oakland Orpheum box office is ringing overtime and seats are being snapped up as fast as they can be had. They are advising everyone to buy early. The telephone reservation bureau is at everyone's service, and the men in the box office are anxious to please. Manager Cornell is anxious that no one miss Blossom Seeley.

There are other noted features on the bill, too.

For instance, there's Count Ferrone. He is an Italian nobleman who was invalided during the autumn drive in Italy, when he was an Italian army officer, and he is here in America trying to make his living by singing until he recovers from his wound and can return to the front. He is really a wonderful singer, too; and Miss Trux, a second assistant, is really charming.

Then there's "In the Dark," the wonderful surprise comedy melodrama; something as unlike anything in vaudeville today as anything in vaudeville is unlike it. It is grippingly interesting, and has a big surprise ending. There's a great Orpheum bill to go with these features.

Look for the tent at end of Lakeshore Ave. "The Oaks," where Portola camped.—Advertisement.

## Moose Will Be Merry at Their Annual Outing

Alameda Lodge No. 509 of Moose will hold its annual picnic at Neptune Beach tomorrow. Thousands of Moose from all parts of the state are expected to attend and many of them will bring their bands and trills and degree teams.

There will be a number of swimming races for both men and women and Alameda lodge has offered valuable cups for prizes. The girl wearing the prettiest bathing costume will receive a special cup.

See them putting in the streets at "The Oaks," where Portola camped. End of Lakeshore Ave.—Advertisement.

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# MISSIONARIES WILL CONVENE HERE MONDAY

The Christian and Missionary Alliance conference at the Grace church, Portland, Ore., will be the annual general assembly of the denomination. Some of the ablest workers of the church are present.

Rev. W. P. Philpott of Hamilton, Ontario, Canada, is said to be a man of fine personal power and sympathetic influence.

Rev. G. V. Brown of Wilmington, Statesboro, Ga., is a man of fine personal voice in the annual conventions of this people, but he is known as a man with a heart as big as his voice.

Rev. John E. Fee, former missionary to China, but now pastor of Gospel Tabernacle, Portland, Ore., also comes to the general convention for the first time.

Rev. A. R. Williams, a missionary who has labored in the Congo and the Congo Africa, will have a vivid and interesting story to tell of his experiences in the work of the missionaries in that church are intensely missionary, supporting more missionaries in foreign lands than any other denomination in Christian countries.

This convention will be in session from April 4 to April 22, in the Gospel Tabernacle, 1000 Broadway, Portland, Ore., 1000 Broadway and Bush street.

Rev. J. H. Williams, pastor of the Southern Pacific train from Alameda, Cal., will be in the city Sunday.

opposite the backdoor on request. It can also be reached by the San Pablo avenue cars.

Special singlet will be one of the features of the convention.

Not so much time will be given to business as to worship. There will be prayers, praises, missionary tidings and Bible studies every morning and afternoon and stereopticon lectures and sermons at night.

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## THE MAN BEHIND THE GUN.

Caesar, after his defeat at Dyrrachium, went to work not to improve the weapons, but to restore and invigorate the morale of his legions, and he accomplished this so effectively that at Pharsalia he gained the empire of the world. It is not the gun, it is "the man behind the gun" that in the long run wins the fight.

The changes which the centuries have produced in conditions of warfare: from the bow and arrow to the breech-loader; from the catapult which projected arrows and spears a great distance to cannon which hurled shot beyond the reach of human vision; from the ballista which threw stones weighing hundreds of pounds over the walls of fortresses to the great gun which throws a dynamite bomb weighing a ton seventy miles into the streets of Paris, is a change which is indescribably great.

But now, as in the centuries gone, it is the moral forces which affect armies, that have been the great determining factors of victory or defeat. It is this and not alone on improvements in arms that great commanders have depended.

We shall win in the great contest now proceeding in Europe not because of our superiority in numbers, in wealth and in armaments, but because we are fighting for the preservation of free institutions while our opponents are fighting "for power for plunder and extended rule." We shall win because "the right is with us, God is with the right and victory with God."

## ON IMPROVING CATTLE.

Government conduct of railroads will deprive stockmen of the profitable industry of improving the breed of their stock by crossing ordinary cattle with a locomotive. The court records show that many a common cow who has lost her life in a railroad collision has been changed into an imported Holstein or Hereford by the accident.

The farmer could usually, with the help of his neighbors who would testify to the value of the cow, get a good settlement out of the railroad company. Or if he was compelled to fight to a finish he could reach a conclusion in two or three years.

But the man who has a claim to collect against the United States is like "truth crushed to earth"; "the eternal years of God" are his, and he needs them.

## RUBBER AND PORT FACILITIES.

Among the many phases of manufacturing and industrial development that promise to contribute permanently to the prosperity of this and other Pacific Coast ports is the increasing demand for rubber. Rubber consumption in the United States in 1917 was 50 per cent greater than in 1916, double that of 1915, three times that of 1914 and six times as much as a decade ago.

A compilation by the National City Bank of New York shows that while world production increased from 69,000 tons in 1907 to 257,000 tons in 1917, United States consumption grew from 30,000 tons in 1907 to 182,000 tons in 1917. World production quadrupled in the ten-year period and United States consumption sextupled in the same time. In 1917 the United States took 44 per cent of the world's output, and in 1917 71 per cent. A billion dollars of American money has been sent to other parts of the world in the decade ending with 1917 for the purchase of the 700,000 tons of rubber brought into the United States in that period, in part from Brazil, but chiefly in recent years from the Orient.

Rubber imports into the United States in the calendar year 1917 were the largest in the history of that trade, both in quantity and value, the quantity imported for consumption having been approximately 182,000 tons, against 117,000 tons in 1916, the former high record year, and the value in 1917 \$233,000,000 against \$160,000,000 in 1916. Meantime our exportation of manufactures of rubber has grown from \$7,000,000 a decade ago to \$35,000,000 in 1917, while we also re-exported in crude form nearly \$6,000,000 worth of the rubber imported in 1917.

Practically all of the plantation rubber produced in the world is thus far grown in the Orient. The plantations occupy about 2,000,000 acres, of which

approximately 1,000,000 are in the Malayan Peninsula, 500,000 in the Dutch East Indies and the remainder distributed through Ceylon, India, Burma, Ceylon, China and Borneo, and a comparatively small acreage in the Philippine Islands. Rubber production in the Philippines is increasing at an extraordinary rate.

All imports for the United States should come by way of this port, but by providing superior storage and handling facilities, Seattle has captured a large proportion of the trade and is scheduled to handle an even larger percentage than at present. The need for attention to the rubber import trade is only symptomatic of what is required in connection with all other products brought from the Philippines and East Asia if this port is to see its proper expansion of business.

## AN ADVENTURE IN MUSIC.

San Francisco's experience with municipally supported organ concerts is certain to attract wide attention among musical patrons and students of the problem of providing suitable and uplifting amusement and recreation for the public. As stripped to the rattling bones by the politicians on the board of supervisors and the confirmed critics of everything but their own narrow vision, the experiment amounts to this:

The city has a beautiful, commodious and comfortable auditorium in the civic center; it has installed one of the finest pipe organs in the world; it has engaged a gifted organist of international reputation at a salary of \$10,000 a year. Admission to the semi-weekly recitals, one of which is given Sunday afternoons, is only 10 cents. Despite these apparently strong attractions, attendance at the concerts has fallen as low as 400, and practically, if not quite, all the concerts have been given at a financial loss.

The result has been bitterly disappointing to those persons who measure artistic values in box office receipts, and there is a strong movement to do away with the organ concerts. This movement naturally finds strong support among the purveyors of popular amusement for profit.

The situation in San Francisco is one that might be repeated in Oakland and every other community of the West, if not of the entire country. It is therefore worth careful examination by those who have for years emphasized the importance of making good and clean music available to the "masses." Here is a case in which the circumstances were exceptionally favorable—the people's magnificent auditorium, a splendidly adequate instrument for musical reading and a celebrated and skilled interpreter, who has consistently adhered to the quality of music the advocates of popular musical enlightenment think most suited for the purpose. There is the government-provided facilities, government finances to guard against the worries of financial failure and only a nominal admission charge, the latter not larger than the cost of entering the average moving picture house.

What are the reasons for the obvious lack of popular support and enthusiasm? Probably the public taste and desires for music have been misjudged. After striking an average between the federal census bureau and the claims of local boosters, San Francisco is found to have about 500,000 population. It has long prided itself as a city of pronounced musical inclinations, as producing and patronizing an unusually large number of "artists."

But the Lemare concerts are held, in obvious good reason, to be a failure! Yet the charge cannot be truthfully made that Lemare is not a gifted organist, nor that the pipe organ is not a fit musical instrument. No such charge has been made. It is merely argued, on the artistic side, that the recitals contain too much "classical" and not enough "popular" music. These terms are usually applied with reckless liberality and do not disclose exactly what the critics of Lemare and the organ think would be down to San Francisco's appreciation.

They would, however, probably have the organist and his noble instrument render that delirium of noise popularly known as "jazz"—a paraphrase by incompetent cabaret harlequins of the low dance movements of a creole entertainer on a Mississippi river steamboat; or some other phase of the surrender of intellectuality to sensuality, under which dance halls prosper and Mr. E. E. Grant is led to urge the Secretary of the Navy to establish a dry zone within a fifteen-mile radius of Goat Island.

They do not comprehend wherein Claude Debussy's *Pelléas et Melisande* is superior to Wagner compositions, but they would enjoy the symphonic suite "Spring," until the police closed up some unventilated basement in alleged bohemia, if it was transposed into a fox trot.

The crux of the question is whether the critics of the organ recitals approximate the popular musical temper. If they do it bodes ill for the earnest welfare workers who have so long pleaded for good, clean music at prices within reach of the "masses." And if they do it were better to eliminate the organ recitals than to pervert them to jazz and ragtime medleys.

Berkeley claims to have raised approximately half her quota of the third Liberty Loan. Oakland has not done so well. Why not? Answer with bond subscriptions.

As I think of the life of this great nation it seems to me that we sometimes look to the wrong places for its sources. We look to the noisy places, where men are talking in the market place, we look to where men are expressing their individual opinions; we look to where nations are expressing their passions; instead of trying to attain our ears to that voiceless mass of men who merely serve the people they love, try to live worthy of the great communities to which they belong. These are the breath of the nation's nostrils; there are the sinews of its might. —Woodrow Wilson.

## NOTES AND COMMENT

The Turluk Journal feels the spell: "These are the lovely spring fever days when the harassed editor would like to spend hours and hours of his time lying in the sunshine and staring at a lizard."

It is illustrative of the American feeling when a film with the heading, "The Kaiser, the Beast of Berlin," turns them away in large numbers.

The Naftzger affair, that promised to be only a slight shower, is developing into a regular storm, with whirlwinds, thunder and the usual accompaniments. No telling in these days where a political commotion will end, once it gets started.

Kern county has fallen in line with numerous other educational communities in the exclusion of the German language from the schools. It is surprising how generally the American school has been broadened in this direction, indicating an unmistakable propaganda.

"Emissaries of Austria seek peace with United States." If there has been any approach in that direction, the first thing they probably did at Washington was to hunt for the joker. It is sure to be couched in Deutsch.

The Santa Rosa Republican passes along a new idea: "Dunsmuir News carries at its editorial mast-head the admonition, 'Poetry, 10 cents per line,' and strange to say actually makes money by it."

These publicity persons perform with much attrition. There is Crael nationally, and Owen locally. Both are now storm centers in a business that ought to be managed in a way that would render impossible such disclosures as have resulted in both instances.

A despatch from Washington states that "grain handlers are asked to shut out small speculators." Small speculators may possibly be objectionable, but how about big speculators? Were they overlooked?

The older Californian who has seen so many of the earlier customs disappear is now treated to a dissolving view of clinking money. Currency is coming into greater favor, and with the conversion of standard dollars into bullion silver will become only a small change medium.

Catching the fish is a small part of the fish question that is now agitating the communities about San Francisco Bay. It seems to cost as much to get the fish from the wharf to the consumer as it does to get it from its habitat to the wharf. The man with the delivery car is as big a factor as the man who wields the seine.

It has been quite a while, and now, as if to make up for lost time, two brand new revolutions are announced to be launched next week. Probably they are stirred up by Hun intrigue to divert the attention and war energies of the United States. If the situation comes up for Uncle Sam's treatment there should be no more fooling.

It is of more than usual political interest that opposition to the measure that would give the President almost unlimited power comes from the Democrats, of which the ultra wing, that of the South, takes the lead. No chance to change partisanship here.

The American marines have landed at Vladivostok. Not only American but other allies have gone ashore. They are all doing it.

## SPIRIT OF THE STATE PRESS

In spite of the pending conditions that are over us at this time there are in the field candidates for various offices when they should be using their energies and brains for a condensed and united patriotism. The candidates are apt to stir up annoyances and divisions when they might be pouring oil on the troubled waters for the sake of unity.—Colusa Sun.

There is sentiment in the fact that California is to supply northern France with 1,500,000 prune trees. These trees are expected to convert 15,000 acres into bearing orchards in two years. It was France, when, in 1856, gave to California her first prune trees.—Chico Enterprise.

Asked to explain the large number of dairy cows being sold at auction, Watchell Bros., auctioneers, said that the high prices paid for beef are causing many dairy cows to be sent to the block. "Some of these cows will weigh 1200 pounds," said Mr. Watchell. "At 8 cents a pound this brings a dairy cow up to \$96 in value." Naturally the butchers are on hand whenever sales are held, and when the dairymen fail to bid animals up, Mr. Butcher promptly takes them off their hands.—Holtville Tribune.

Rag pickers these days rarely walk from door to door seeking trade. They sit on their wagons—or is it automobiles?—and look neither to right nor left while the frantic housewife waves and whistles in vain. The answer is to be found in some of the facts brought to light at the New York convention of the National Waste Material Dealers. Conservative estimates gave the value of "junk" collected in 1917 at \$2,000,000,000. A single firm is reported to have done a business of \$4,000,000 during the year.—Santa Rosa Press-Democrat.

A meeting of food administration officials, gentlemen and the forest service has been called for next Tuesday at Oroville. This is one of a series of meetings called for the purpose of securing better co-operation. Plans for more concerted action among cattlemen will be discussed, and the meeting will be devoted to reviewing past and present day conditions, and the discussion of ways and means for the future.—Chico Enterprise.

## THE HEDGE OF DEATH.



## THE FORUM

The Editor of The Tribune disclaims responsibility for opinions and statements expressed in this column. Brief contributions on current topics of general interest are welcome. They will not as a rule be printed unless accompanied by the name of the writer, which, if desired, will be withheld from publication.

## SOCIAL INSURANCE.

To the Editor of The Tribune:

In Tuesday's TRIBUNE a news item appears to the effect that a representative of the Social Insurance Commission is to speak before the East Oakland Woman's Club. It is a little remarkable that this commission, created to investigate social insurance and by the legislature given \$22,500 to use in such investigation, should utilize its energy and the people's money for another purpose; that is, to advocate, in the most partisan fashion, the adoption of this system of insurance instead of investigating its merits.

Compulsory health insurance, so the commission has estimated, will cost \$27,500,000 a year in California. Notwithstanding the fact that the cost of local and state government has almost doubled in California during the last seven years, the commission is trying to persuade the people to take on this tremendous additional burden.

The plan is to compel small and medium wage-earners to insure against sickness. The high-salaried or well-to-do classes will still be permitted to retain their freedom. Compulsion and the invasion of the most sacred of individual rights are the principal features of the proposition.

The plan has been imported from Germany, as might be suspected, and is so absolutely opposed to the American system of government that it cannot be operated unless the people surrender a large part of their personal freedom. This surrender they are asked to make by adopting, at the November election, an amendment to the constitution giving the legislative power to establish compulsory health insurance in California. When the time of the election arrives, people who believe Americanism is superior to Prussianism will have an opportunity to express their opinion by voting NO on the amendment.

PETER V. ROSS.  
San Francisco, April 12, 1918.

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## TODAY 20 YEARS AGO

In connection with the Alaskan gold rush, it was announced that the Alaskan fleet had accommodations for 10,000 passengers and 7000 tons of freight, and that each ship could make three trips during the season.

In response to an invitation of the Oakland Board of Trade, representatives of the different communities adjacent to Oakland assembled in an open meeting to discuss the subject of consolidation. The drift of sentiment seemed to indicate that Alameda was utterly opposed to the measure, Berkeley was on the fence, with a favorable inclination, while Oakland was solid in approval.

Colonel Lyman Bridges of San Leandro suggested to the Oakland Board of Trade that Alameda county be known as Golden Gate county. He said everyone knew where the Golden Gate was and that would serve to place this county wherever it was mentioned.

Rev. J. S. McDonald of Dixon was elected assistant pastor of the First Presbyterian church at the annual meeting.

## Macdonough

PHONE LAKESIDE 64.

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NOT THEN.  
New York observed Easter in the usual way—impressive religious services and a brilliant fashion parade. The Kaiser had no gun that would shoot 3000 miles.—New York World.

NO GERMANS NEED APPLY.  
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## LAWRENCE NOT TO CONTINUE LEASE FIGHT

V. O. Lawrence, president of the Lawrence Warehouse Company who, with James J. McElroy and others, opposed the granting of the waterfront lease to the United States Army, announced today that he will not further oppose the plan. In a letter received today by Fred D. Parr, president of the steamship line, Lawrence says:

"As every good loser should, I congratulate you on accomplishing what you aimed to do. There is one thing I want you to know at this time. If there should be any talk about the referendum, I will have nothing to do with it. I have fought the best fight that I know how to make and I know when I am licked."

### PLANS OUTLINED.

Outline of the plans to be followed by the steamship company in fulfilling the terms of the lease from now on is given in a letter sent by Parr in reply to the Lawrence letter of congratulation.

"I appreciate your letter of congratulation, likewise your assurance that you will have nothing to do with a proposed referendum," writes President Parr.

"The rumblings concerning a proposed referendum will have no bearing upon our plans, as we are already proceeding with the preparing of complete drawings and specifications covering our present ideas of the best plans for the ultimate development of the western waterfront."

"We are working in perfect harmony with the department of public works, and when the details are finally completed they will be satisfactory to all parties."

### PERMIT EXPANSION.

"It is our intention to build units of this terminal in a way that will permit of expansion without destroying any work which is to be done at this time."

"We appreciate that it is very difficult to draw a contract which will embody all of the things which we would like to see realized, and yet I thoroughly realize the spirit in which this lease is granted, and I shall do everything possible to carry out the plan of development which is in the mind of the city council."

"After preparing our plans and specifications, and erecting the first unit of development, our next move will be to build every effort to secure the business, and we shall be prepared to provide the facilities just as fast as the business justifies such expansion."

"I assume full responsibility for carrying out the spirit of the lease and will do nothing to sacrifice the confidence which has been placed in me by the citizens of Oakland through their official representatives."

## New Liberty Bell Does Duty in Central Bank

The counter of the Central National Bank where patriots lining up five deep to buy Liberty bonds, it is a miniature replica in bronze of the historical cracked Liberty bell of Philadelphia.

The day the drive for the third Liberty bond was started, J. A. Wainwright, Berkeley, was walking into the Central National bank to see J. E. Carlson. "I have a Liberty bell here," he said, "of which I am very proud—justly proud. I should say, I made it myself from a piece of gun used in the Franco-Russian war. As a Liberty bell to ring with every purchase of a Liberty bond at the Central National it will do its part to preserve mercy, justice, honor and democracy. I will be glad to lend it to you to ring it again with every subscription."

## Woodruff Seems to Favor "Rough Stuff"

Threats to shoot her and heat her head with a revolver in the divorce complaint of Mrs. Fannie Woodruff against Charles A. Woodruff, a machinist.

Substituting bottled rabbit for beef broth when she was ill, is charged against Joseph Bourdell in the divorce complaint of Julia Bourdell.

Mary J. F. Perry charges Anthony O. Perry with cruelty; Nannie P. Lewis alleges desertion against Howard E. Lewis; Alma E. Coit charges adultery against Roger Coit, and Mattie Pepper Gambell alleges in her divorce complaint that Nixon Gambell treated her with extreme cruelty.

## MAID COMPLAINS.

When Ruth Hawkins, a maid at a hotel in Berkeley, put \$10 in an envelope she entrusted to a colored man who offered to obtain her a passport in the Hotel Oakland, she lost the money, according to her complaint to the police today. The negro substituted envelopes and when she opened it she found plain paper inside.

See the old camp site of Portola at "The Oaks," head of Lakeshore Ave.—Advertisement.

## LIBERTY BOND SALES CLIMB TO HUGE TOTAL IN ALAMEDA COUNTY



Hundreds of persons who attended the Liberty Loan rally in the city hall plaza yesterday noon subscribed for Liberty Bonds. The rally was held near the hut being erected for war purposes, and an appeal for the bonds was made by Chief White Elk. The picture shows hands being raised signifying a promise to buy a bond.

## 7595 Individuals Invest to Date in Third Loan as Against 233 in Second Loan For Like Period

**BULLETIN.**  
WASHINGTON, April 13.—Liberty Loan subscriptions at the first week of the 26-day campaign totalled \$531,426,100, according to official treasury figures early today.

Alameda county, has subscribed for Liberty Loan bonds to the value of \$2,383,200, and the figures supplied today by the committee directing the drive show that this is an increase of \$481,500 compared to the results previously announced. The showing thus far is not satisfactory, according to the committee. The latest statement showing the allotments and the total subscriptions are:

County	Subscriptions	Total
Oakland	\$6,860,475	\$1,398,000
Berkeley	1,189,125	547,000
Alameda	481,725	115,250
County districts	911,175	324,950

Totals: \$9,442,500 \$2,383,200  
Oakland continues to remain way down in the list of Alameda county cities in the Liberty Loan drive standing. There is, however, much determination that this shall be overcome and those directing the drive are planning to launch a vigorous campaign next week.

Glen C. Barnhart, issued the following statement today:  
"Based upon actual amounts received by the banks of the county and officially reported to the general committee, the proportion of the county's allotments that have been attained are as follows:

City	Per cent
Livermore	70 per cent
Irvine	60 per cent
San Jose	50 per cent
San Francisco	43 per cent
Niles	31 per cent
Pleasanton	26 per cent
Haywards	22 1/2 per cent
Alameda	22 per cent
Centerville	20 per cent
San Leandro	20 per cent
Emeryville	15 per cent
Oakland	15 per cent
County as a whole	20 per cent

**LIVERMORE AHEAD.**  
"In the race to reach allotments Livermore is undeniably in the lead in the race for an honor flag in this county. The Irvington district which comprises Irvington, Warm Springs and Mission San Jose, is being crowded closely by Berkeley for second place. Niles on Friday stepped up from eighth place to fourth place by subscribing in one day almost as much as it did in the preceding four days.

Pleasanton dropped back from fourth place to fifth on Friday and Hayward retained sixth place which it held on Thursday. Alameda climbed from ninth to eighth place, while San Leandro, far in the rear of the race of Wednesday, yesterday passed both Oakland and Emeryville by subscribing in one day nearly \$5,000.

"Oakland with the staggering allotment of nearly seven million dollars, and although at the bottom of the list, shows considerable strength and may soon be showing her heels to some of the districts which have much smaller sums to attain."

**20 PER CENT SUBSCRIBED.**  
"The county total to date of \$1,398,170 indicates that only 20 per cent of the total quota has been subscribed. Figures show that 21 1/2 per cent of the time allotted for the campaign has already passed."

"Individual subscriptions in the present campaign are not averaging as large as they did in the second loan."

loan To date 7,595 persons have actually subscribed at the various banks in the county, a total sum of nearly \$2,000,000. This is an average of \$250 per person, a sum which is regarded by the committee as indicating that the bonds are being absorbed by a larger number of individuals than ever before.

**MAST REPORTED.**  
Before the noon hour today a number of subscriptions were reported by the workers of the Women's Army. The list was led by the Portuguese American Bank and the Supreme Council of the U. P. E. C., each one of which subscribed \$25,000. The U. P. E. C. subscribed \$30,000 and \$500 respectively. The Bowman Drug Company were reported to have made a subscription of \$3,000 and the Modern Woodmen one of \$800.

During the noon hour Charles Butters, the well-known manufacturer of aluminum dust, which is being used extensively in the manufacture of munitions for the war, was reported to have entered his subscription for \$50,000 worth of Liberty bonds in San Francisco, which Butters had credited to the Alameda county totals in the county drive.

At the weekly meeting of the Oakland lodge of Elks last Thursday evening the antlered herd subscribed \$15,000 worth of bonds. Max Horvinski, past exalted ruler of the lodge, stated that most of the subscriptions were for \$50 and \$100 bonds. It is the intention of the lodge to continue its individual drive for subscriptions during the period of the campaign. A number of Liberty loan speakers will address the various meetings of the club.

Tonight the Liberty Hut will be the scene of an interesting program, according to George Sleeper, who has charge of the City Hall Plaza events. Frank Spaulding, the sailor singer, through the courtesy of the management of the T & D theater, will render a number of war songs. "Jimmie" McVey, will do a "monolog stunt." Albert C. Agnew and D. C. Dutton will deliver addresses, Mrs. Charles B. Burke, whose husband recently enlisted in the navy, will sing. William Wheeler will recite and a jazz band will furnish the music.

**MANY FIRMS ON HONOR ROLL.**  
The following concerns of Oakland have qualified for membership in the Liberty Loan Honor Roll of 100% institutions:

Central National and Central Savings Banks.  
Citizens Bank of Fruitvale.  
Farmers and Merchants Savings Bank.  
First National Bank of Oakland.  
First Savings Bank of Oakland.  
Italian Popular Bank.  
Oakland Bank of Savings.  
Portuguese-American Bank.  
Security Bank.  
State Savings Bank.  
Oakland Bank of Savings, Berkeley Branch.  
First National Bank of Berkeley.  
Alameda Bank of Savings.  
Owl Drug Company, Fourteenth and Washington streets.  
Owl Drug Company, Thirteenth and Broadway.  
Central Savings Bank, Telegraph Avenue Branch.  
Seventh Street Jitney Drivers' Association.

**SCOUTS TO SELL  
MILLION IN BONDS**

Oakland Boy Scouts are out to beat their own record and to dispose of \$1,000,000 worth of third Liberty Loan Bonds. It was announced in connection with the awarding of medals for distinctive service in the second Liberty Loan campaign to 14 Boy Scouts, at a ceremony in the Oakland Municipal Auditorium last night. The Oakland Boy Scouts disposed of \$70,000 worth of the second bond issue, and in honor of individual services the Treasury Department forwarded the bronze medals. Another feature of the ceremony was the presentation of a \$300 flag from President Wilson to Troop 21 of the Boy Scouts.

A patriotic demonstration and exhibition of scout work accompanied the presentations. The drill included the forming of the Stars and Stripes by 1000 Boy Scouts. Music was furnished by the Boy Scout band of twenty pieces. H. C. Canwell, president of the Oakland Boy Scout Council, was chairman. Richard Wilson, Scout executive, has general supervision of the program. G. H. Pfund of the department of physical education in the schools, and a scout commissioner, and Otto Butler, physical director of the Alameda high school, had charge of the program.

An audience of 10,000 witnessed the presentations and drill demonstration.

**Spanish War Vets  
to Aid Bond Sales**

Members of the United Spanish War Veterans in Oakland have received orders to again face the firing line, this time in behalf of the third Liberty loan drive. The orders have been received from national headquarters in Detroit and they say that the "call to the colors is as urgent now as in 1918." Camp commanders are busy arranging a campaign that will be started within a day or so.

**Ah Sing Decides to  
Fight for Bail Money**

Rather than forfeit \$200 bail, Ah Sing, who is accused of selling Chinese lottery tickets, is a joint at 1015 Franklin street, today decided to face a jury, probably of women, and be tried before Judge McArthur Smith on April 27.

Through his attorney, Tom Bradley, the defendant pleaded not guilty today. The four visitors who were taken in the raid on Ah Sing's place, forfeited \$100 bail each. Ah Sing is the first arrested for the racketeering to plead not guilty for some time. Two defendants on similar charges, having pleaded guilty and forfeited \$200 each last month.

California history was woven at "The Oaks," where Portola camped at the head of Lakeshore Ave.—Advertisement.

**VIOLA DANA, charming film  
star, who will appear at the  
American, commencing to-  
morrow in "Breakers Ahead."**



The double-bill at the American, commencing with the matinee tomorrow, is headed by Viola Dana in "Breakers Ahead," a drama well suited to the charming star's style of acting. The other feature of the bill is "The Girl With the Champagne Eyes," with Jewel Carmen in the title role.

The performances tonight close the engagement of the big Fox melodrama, "Cheating the Public," and June C. Price in "A Camouflage Kiss"—Advertisement.

## EVEN THE PLACID SPUD IS TRIFLING WITH EUGENICS

When a man named Manuel Monquito plants seed potatoes in former violet beds the result is violet potatoes.

This happened in Irvin, Alameda county.

The potatoes are on the commission market today. They are not pink, like the Early Rose, the only other colored potato known, but a deep violet—exactly the color of the flower.

Monquito used to raise violets for sale to local florists. Lately this was not paid, so this season he put the violet beds into potatoes, together with the rest of his ranch. The violet bed potatoes took on the violet color.

It, applied to horticulture.

They taste the same as the Burbanks that fill the rest of the ranch, and from which they sprang. Their color is of a deep blue. And they are selling in the commission market as ordinary potatoes. There are only a few boxes of them in existence.

## LIBERTY HUT TAKEN UNDER WING OF CITY

Dedicated to war services during the period of the world conflict, the Liberty Hut, erected in the City Hall Plaza, was this afternoon officially turned over to the city by the city council. The building, designed by the city architect, R. A. McWilliams, its builder, Joseph H. King, executive chairman of the Oakland Liberty Loan committee, was the chairman of the day, and his sister, Mrs. Pearl King Tanner, officiated in the ceremony.

The flag exercises which marked the raising of the Star-Spangled Banner over the hut, were featured by the presence of little Miss Irene Britton Quick, granddaughter of John A. Britton, who, at a given moment, released a large American flag which had been contained within a metal globe, symbolizing the world, and upon which had been lettered the words, "For World Democracy."

Little Miss Quick's part was preceded by a blast of trumpets in unison. As the flag rose to the top of the pole from which it will fly until the end of the war, the entire audience, led by Miss Zannette E. Potter, and assisted by music furnished by the Fremont band, sang the "Star-Spangled Banner." The flag exercises were regarded as particularly effective and appropriate.

The device by which the flag was released from its globe was arranged by H. C. Quick, little Irene's father. Quick is the inventor of a new deadly gas, the formulae of which has been taken over by the Government. Quick will leave in a few days for France to confer with the War Department regarding the manufacture of the deadly gas and containers in which it will be shipped to France for use by the American soldiers.

The balance of the program consisted of the reading of an original Red Cross war poem by Miss Juanita Miller, a Liberty Loan oration by Judge Jesse J. Dunn, chairman of the speakers' bureau of the local Liberty Loan committee, addresses by representatives of the United States Navy and the Red Cross, to each of whom were handed keys to the structure, and community singing by fifty girls led by Miss Potter. George E. Sleeper, manager of the Oakland Clearing House Association, arranged and was in charge of the various events.

**SEEKS TO END LIFE.**  
Despondent by reason of ill health, Mrs. A. E. Cass, 547 Twenty-third street, attempted suicide by inhaling illuminating gas last night at her home. Taken to the Receiving hospital, restorative treatment was successfully administered.

Why don't you drive out to "The Oaks" and see where Portola camped, and Lakeshore Ave.—Advertisement.

## LETTERS AND DIARY BETRAY SPY SUSPECT

SAN FRANCISCO, April 13.—Federal agents today in a search for a German spy suspect, arrested at Crockett, Contra Costa county, by Under-sheriff William Wade, who is declared by government agents to have revealed an elaborate system of German espionage on the Pacific coast. Peters is being held for information on a presidential warrant.

In Peter's room at Crockett were found, according to the authorities, detailed reports to a German vice-consul in Mexico, whose name is being withheld, maps, plans and photographs of San Francisco and Seattle harbors; information of the coast defense system, sailing schedules of many transports, and a diary written by Peters, who he was a member of the crew of the German cruiser Leipzig.

**REFUSES TO EXPLAIN.**  
In regard to the latter affair, it has been announced by the British admiralty that British vessels rescued all survivors of the sinking Leipzig. Peters refuses to tell how he escaped but admits that he was landed at a South American port, from which point he worked his way to Mexico, where he found ample finances.

He registered in the selective draft registration as a native of Denmark. Peters' arrest was the result of close observation on the part of a Crockett resident who noticed his walk and decided that it showed "goose-step" military training. He became suspicious and reported the circumstances to the local authorities in his city. Peters was placed under surveillance, and shortly afterward arrested. In Peter's possession was a card showing membership in the Biggers and Stavedores' Union of San Francisco. It was working as a rigger at Crockett when arrested.

**DIARY TELLS TALE.**  
According to Federal agents, it was through his employment on various ships leaving San Francisco and Seattle ports that Peters was able to supply German agents with detailed information of ship movements. Portions of a diary which he had written and his correspondence found among his possessions give the full scope of his activities in this direction, it is alleged. It was stated today that the arrest and examination of Peters may lead to further arrests. The government authorities are reticent in regard to the exact scope of the reserve's activities.

Among Peters' papers was a report to the German vice-consul in Mexico, to whom he was working, which read as follows:  
"It is now certain that Japan will guard the Russian coast. China may do likewise. There is not a fertile field for operations of the Kaiser there."

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modern 3-room apt., hwd. floors,  
hollow, gas range, wall bed, etc.,  
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HIGH-GRADE furn. or unfurn. 2-room  
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## HARVARD

545 25th—2-3 rms.; sun. ht.,  
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JAMES APTS., 1535 9th ave.—New,  
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near cars; garage, Merritt 2682.

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700 6th, 1-2 rms., bath, mod.  
furn.; hot water; \$12. 14th  
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## WOOLSEY

ave., 2257, Berkeley—Nicely  
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## 8TH ST.

719—Private home; no conven-  
iences; required. Phone 2653.

## 11TH ST.

663—Large, finely furn., sun-  
ny room; mod. home; close in; fine loc.

## 11TH ST.

676—1 room, room for rent, 4  
blocks from Wash. St. Apply Apt. 2.

## 14TH ST.

747—Newly renovated front  
room; modern; close in; reasonable.

## 18TH

553, near San Pablo Ave., clean,  
bright, sunny, 16 months.

## 34TH ST.

1074, near San Pablo—Sunny,  
furn. front room; free phone; home like;  
32 per week; private cottage.

## 29TH ST.

700—A neatly furn. rooms,  
adults preferred.

## HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS.

CHESTNUT, 1805—Two nicely furnished  
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310—Sunny 1-2 rms. suites,  
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1511—Large, sunny front rm.  
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LINDEN, 2129, near 22d Key Route; 3  
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1308, near Hotel Oakland—1 to 3  
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## WEBSTER

3942, nr. Broadway—Sunny  
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reasonable rent.

## 5TH AVE.

1121, nr. 15th—3 rooms; mod-  
ern; car line; adults; \$15.

## 5TH ST.

655, near Grove—3 sunny rooms,  
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## 18TH ST.

610—Front suite; sunny, clean,  
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## 21ST ST.

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1909—Large south room, sun-  
ny; 2 a. 3rd up, pch., h. c. water, 1 b. k.,  
S. P. trs.; home con. and cook; phone;  
adults only. Pled. 71441.

## 16TH ST.

527—Fine home, excellent  
for child during day. Oak. 3842.

## 26TH AVE.

1275—Room and board; gen-  
tlemen; home cooking; Fruitvale 360.

## 593 31ST ST.

Refined young couple will  
give room with board with home priv-  
ileges; walking distance. Pled. 71441.

## ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED.

By gentlemen in private family; give  
all particulars and address. Box 518,  
Tribune.

## ROOM AND BOARD

2 meals, wanted, resi-  
dential district, Alameda. Reply P. O.  
Box 682, San Francisco.

## ROOMS WANTED.

FURNISHED housekeeping room, near  
Hotel Harrison; will pay \$10 per month.  
Frank White, Gen. Del. Oakland.

## CHILDREN BOARDED.

MOTHER'S care; refs. given; infant's  
under 6 months. Ph. Fruitvale 900V.

## WIDOW

wishes 1 or 2 children to board;  
room for mother. \$20.00-25.00.

## WILL

board and room little girls 3 to  
10 years old; room, home, mother's care.  
717 13th st., Oakland.

## FLATS TO LET—UNFURNISHED.

AA—SEE—houses for flats, L.  
Beauchamp, 125 E. 14th st., Mer. 2396.

## A 5-R.

lower sunny flat; nr. cars, trams;  
reas. 745 35th st., near Grove.

## SUNNY

modern 4-room flat, corner of  
Alameda and Tel. ave.; \$18. Pled. 4564.

## UNFURNISHED

\$15, sunny 5-room flat;  
4th st., near Grove; garage, Oak. 8816.

## 3 ROOMS

and bath; gar. 897 26th st.,  
nr. San Pablo; rent \$15, water free.

## 3 ROOMS

sunny; modern apt. flat; gas  
range and linoleum, 890 Jones st.

## LIGHTS

including water, Cypress st.  
\$12—Lower flat 5 rms., bath, modern,  
handy to trams and st. cars, water free.

## H. Z. JONES

458 9th St.

## 15th

4-room upper sunny flat; 473 24th  
st., bet. Broadway and Telegraph.

## 16th

NEW modern upper flat 5 rooms and  
bath 1600 24th st.

## FLATS TO LET—FURNISHED.

COMPLETELY furn. 5-room flat; also  
well furn. rooms. 579 31st st. Pled.  
6071-W.

## COMPLETELY

furn. 4 extra large rms.,  
gas, cook stove, cheap. Call 665 6th.

## ELEG.

4-rm. flat; yard; nr. K. R.;  
reasonable. Phone 327.

## FURN.

flat 5 rms.; sunny, modern; 2  
rooms rented, ref. 919 Grove.

## FOUR

large, sunny rooms; block Pied-  
mont Baths; wall beds, sleeping porch;  
furnished; \$22.50, 121 Hamilton Place.

## FINELY

furn. 5-room flat, complete with  
plano and garage, No. 341 Telegraph Ph.  
ave., near Key Route station; inspection  
from 2 to 4 p. m. Phone Lakeside 2662.

## MODERN

furn. upper flat, 4 rooms and  
sleeping porch, hardwood floors; garage;  
near Claremont station. Phone  
Berk. 3422-W.

SUNNY 3-room upper flat with bath; nr.  
Claremont; Phone 327.

## 4 ROOM

flat, 5 rms.; free; 2-room  
rear cottage. \$10, 1703 38th av., Frl.  
water, use of kitchen.

## 5-RM.

modern flat; garage; sunny. 1007  
W. Campbell st., West Oakland.

## A 4-RM

sunny upper flats; priv. en-  
trance; mod.; reas. all west st.

## 17—CLOSE

in 3 rms. and bath; adults.  
Apply 719 Oak st.

## FLATS FOR SALE.

HERE IS REAL VALUE FOR YOUR  
money. Beautiful up-to-date flats,  
6 rooms upstairs, 5 down; rented to two  
good families, making an income of \$45  
per month. Owner, Mr. J. H. Jones, 121  
Broadway, near 14th and 16th; modern  
hardwood floors; new and modern in  
every respect, good garage, room for 2  
cars; cement driveways, nice lawn, small  
trees; all flowers and shrubs; fine loca-  
tion on the sunny side of Appar st., be-  
tween Telegraph and Grove st. I need  
cash and am ready to sell at a very low  
price. Call Oakland 215, or  
address J. W. Glenn, Owner, Franklin  
Court, 19th and Franklin, Oakland.

## HOUSES TO LET—UNFURNISHED.

A BUNGALOW of 5 rs. and b. and  
elec., driveway and garage. 2208 8th  
ave.

## A 4-RM

cottage, \$15.50; 6-rm. house,  
\$25.50; flats, \$15 up; also turn places and  
bungalows. Call K. R. Tel. (Young's)  
5902 Tel. ave.; Pled. 3254.

## CLEAN

sunny 7-rm. house; cement base-  
ment, hardwood floors, furnace, gar-  
age, 470 Oak ave., Oak. 8594.

## FOR RENT

in Alameda, an unfurnished  
corner house, 6 rooms, bath, kitchen;  
Address Owner, 1501 Central  
ave., Ala. or Phone Ala. 132.

## FOR RENT

Newly—Newly, only \$32.50,  
at No. 5249 Broadway, Key at Mutual  
Realty Co. See Mr. Francis, Lakeside  
4890.

## LAKE DISTRICT

3 rooms and garage;  
relocated, nr. View, 855, Mer. 291.

## MODERN

up-to-date 4-rm. flat Ph. Oak.  
5524 or Oak. 7230.

## NEW 6-RM

modern bungalow, \$20, 4443  
Vermont ave., Mills College car.

## NEW HOUSE

hardwood floors down-  
stairs, 7 rooms; 2 blocks from Tech.  
High school; reas. Owner, Pled. 2533-W.

## SUNNY

3-rm. cottage near lake; rent  
reasonable. Tel. 315.

## SUNNY

cor. 2-story house; reas. elec.,  
garage, yard, central, 2208 Webster.

## SUNNY

4-rm. rear cottage, all conven-  
iences, cement basement, 493 45th st.

## 12th

PARU st., Alameda, near street cars  
and S. P. line; 11 rooms, garage and  
modern kitchen; nice neighborhood;  
\$10 net, key next door. P. 315.

## 5 ROOMS

dim. up-to-date; nr. Piedmont  
Key Route; \$50. Phone Piedmont 6275.

## 6-RM

house, \$15; water free; garage;  
relocated, near 12th and 14th. P.  
1703 or, near 27th av. Tel. 315.

## 5-R



# STOCKS AND BONDS

## WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

### Clothing Bought

WE DO AS WE SAY.  
FOR MEN'S SUITS WE PAY THE  
HIGHEST PRICES  
100% more than any other dealer.  
WE CALL ANYWHERE—ANY TIME.  
503 7th St., Lakeside 4185

### Clothing Bought

WE PAY AS WE SAY  
\$5.00 to \$25.00  
for men's suits. Will call any time.  
515 7th St., Lakeside 5064

### IRON FENCING WANTED

30 feet of iron fencing suitable for residence lot. Box 8254, Tribune.

### WANTED—Free use of sewing machine

by Red Cross Auxiliary. Oak 3363.

### FURNITURE FOR SALE

#### AT BALLAM'S

1320 SAN PABLO, BKT. 18TH and 19TH.  
Bedsteads, \$2 to \$10; dressers, \$5 to \$15; tables, \$1.50 to \$2.00; chairs from \$1.00 to \$1.50. Also mahogany dining set, rich velvet Alexander and Wilson rug, 12x18, \$10.00. Also choice pictures, beautiful gold table lamp, curtains, etc., also roll-top desk, Remington No. 10, also desk, 3 oak chairs, La Salle No. 10, also library, 3 oak chairs, Remington No. 10, Mr. Speers, furniture at 505 Oakland, Mr. Speers, furniture at 505 Oakland, Mr. Speers, furniture at 505 Oakland.

### BEAUTIFUL white ivory Jacobean bed-room suite

at bargain value. 614 14th street.

### FURNITURE and carpets for sale

Apply 9 a. m. to 6 p. m., 1012 53rd st.

### FOR SALE, cheap, latest model White

Hoover Cabinet, used 2 months. Phone Oakland 4185.

### GAS RANGE, furniture, baby buggy, 3128

Elm st., near 31st and Telegraph.

### IVORY walnut and mah. bedroom sets

dining room set, lib. table, good as new, very cheap; must sell, 341 19th st.

### KINSLEY FURNITURE CO.

sells direct from factory. Big savings to buyers. 1601 Teleg. av. Oak 322; res. Pied. 4645; office Teleg. 10-11 and 2-3. MY furniture for sale reasonable. Call mornings, 119 Sunnyside ave., Piedmont.

### OAK dining room table, 6 leather-seated

chairs, oak buffet, Hoovers cabinet; no dealers. 688 34th st.

### SOME parlor furniture, consisting of silk

chairs, chest, table and rug, for sale. 3430 B. 17th st., Fruitvale.

### 3-PIECE white enamel hardwood bed-room

suite, \$20. Phone Merr. 4332.

### FURNITURE WANTED

ATTENTION—WE NEED FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS, AND WE WILL PAY THE HIGHEST PRICES PAID. TRY US AND BE CONVINCED.

### W. T. DAVIS AUCTION CO.

550 12th st., opp. Ophium; Lakeside 248.

### ABSOLUTELY the highest prices paid

for used furniture. 309 Clay; Oak 6518.

### DON'T sell your furniture until you get

our price (highest guaranteed), at Ballam's, 1820 San Pablo; ph. Oakland 4671.

### FURNITURE wanted; we will pay more

than you can get elsewhere. J. A. Munro & Co., 1007 Clay st., Oak 4671.

### 111 E. 11th St., S. E. Douglas 611

KIST pays the highest prices for furniture and household goods or exchange new on old. 512 11th st.; Oakland 324.

### NOTICE—Anyone having furniture,

stoves, rugs, etc., for sale, will get best results. 3418 B. 14th st., Fruitvale 1222.

### PARTY needs 50 rooms general furniture,

carpets, rugs, stoves, etc.; small or large lots; cash. Phone Oakland 2936.

### UNITED FURNITURE CO., Inc., buys

furniture, carpets, rugs, stoves, etc., at prices. 301 Clay; phone Lakeside 2931.

### WE pay 25% more for furniture, house-

hold goods, etc., than dealers. Meyer & Meyer, Auctioneers, 363 13th st., N. Franklin; phone Oakland 4472; try us.

### FURNITURE WANTED

PRICE REDUCED on furniture; storage; carpets; rugs; stoves; etc.; 1421 Broadway; phone Lakeside 1080.

### SEWING MACHINES

\$1.00 PER WEEK  
We carry the largest stock of sewing machines in this city, all makes, new and used, and in a position to give great value for your money. See our bargains:

Singer 66, like new, \$25. White E. 118; New Home, \$24; Singer 101; New \$35; Standard, \$35; other good makes, \$25. Every machine guaranteed; machines rented. Call for catalogue. DAVIS, 550 12th st., near Clay; phone Lakeside 248.

### NEW HOME sewing machines; all makes

good, rented, repaired. 611 14th st., Jefferson and Grove; Oakland 1714.

### MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

CASE for good upright piano; also; piano for good summer resort. Merritt 4178.

### FISCHER piano; mah.; cost \$225; cash,

\$100; also Buck range; white enamel; coal and gas combination; \$50; 522 18th.

### MY 1915 player piano; mahogany; 522 18th

st.; cost \$80; cheap; cash. Jensen, Apt. 16; Lakeside 4170.

### MAH. piano; standard make; cash, \$50;

no dealers. 502 18th; Lakeside 4172.

### MAH. player; modern; 200 rolls; bench

and cabinet; \$175. 1803 Telegraph; Lakeside 4133.

### NICKEL-IN-SLOT 85-NOV. Harmonica

player piano; for cafe, restaurant or summer resort; good condition; with accessories. Geo. W. Butler, 1803 Telegraph; Lakeside 4133.

### PIANOS for rent, \$2 and \$3 per mo.; will

sell \$75. 1912 San Pablo.

### RELIABLE couple wants piano for

storage; no children; home until noon, except Sundays. 5629 Melrose ave.

### 85-NOTE player piano, 25 rolls, \$275;

checkering; 100 rolls; practice; you right piano, \$50. Heine Piano Co., 825 14th st.

### BIRDS, PETS AND DOGS

SARIE (collie dog) good for sheep or cattle. Phone Oakland 3010.

### POULTRY AND SUPPLIES

BREEDING ducks and ducks of all kinds; don't look farther; we have what you want. 2220 Broadway; phone Lakeside 2936.

### BABY CHICKS, W. L. and Black Min-

orcas for sale. 2600 47th av. Fruit 673.

### PLEASANT birds for sale. 3955 Rhoda

ave.; phone Fruitvale 2737-W.

### GENUINE Black Minors eggs for hatch-

ling. See eggs and fowls 1604 Adeline st.

### LIVE turkeys and chickens, 50¢ per lb.;

turkey eggs, 25¢. Piedmont 3538.

### PHEASANT brown turkey, Muscovy

duck and R. I. Red chicken eggs for hatchling. Daisy Farm, San Lorenzo; Hayward 56-1.

### SACRIFICED SALE—Throughout R. I.

Reds; leaving city, complete sets of all my one breeding stock; hens, broilers, cockerels; one of best lines on coast; bred to lay, and practice of you want quality chicks; also hatchlings. Elmhurst 566.

## CORN SOARS WITH NEW DEVELOPMENT

### CHICAGO, April 13.—Corn has gone

soaring this week, chiefly owing to removal of the maximum price limit on the July delivery, but advances were not maintained. Compared with a week ago, corn this morning was up 1¢ for the May option and July was 4½¢ above the figures at which new styling began.

On the 12th, the market was quiet, and prices showed a rise of 3½¢ for May, and 1½¢ for July.

Activity in the corn pit broadened under the stimulus of a restoration of more normal conditions so far as price limits were concerned and because of revised rules in other vital particulars.

Amount of business permitted by any single individual, however, will still be restricted and yesterday sharp hints were given that speculative operations would be cut down to the vanishing point.

Such warnings helped relax the upward tension of the market, and, too, did it prospect that the effect of values continued Chicago would be flooded with receipts.

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## War News Reacts in Selling Distillers' Drop Over Night

### NEW YORK, April 13.—The more critical stage in the war situation

caused renewed selling in the stock market. Speculation reacted from a point up and rails yielded substantial fractions to a point. Equipments, motors and some of the minor unclassified issues featured the decline, which was halted later, losses in a few instances being partly recovered. Trading except in leading shares



# MS ALONG THE WAY

San Gregorio, thence fair dirt road to Santa Cruz. Santa Cruz to Watsonville and Castroville good dirt road. Castroville to Del Monte and Pacific Grove, paved. Castroville to Salinas, paved. Salinas to Del Monte and Pacific Grove, paved. Sargent to Watsonville via Altamontes, good dirt road. San Juan to Watsonville good dirt road. On all above dirt roads advisable to carry shovels during wet weather in case of heavy raining. Rio Basin road open but rough as mud as water breaks have not been removed.

Coastal Highway North—Take Valley Road south out of Oakland to Mossdale Road, thence take back fork, highway to Jackson and Sacramento, Sacramento to San Juan school, macadam road, thence

Tracy to Los Angeles, Oakland and Modesto in fair condition.  
 Tracy to Los Angeles via East Side  
 Tracy to Westport, Good road, Good. High-  
 way to Patterson, Crows Landing and  
 Fresno via Newman, Good highway to  
 Fresno via Crows Landing, Good road to  
 Newman and Gustine, Los Banos and  
 Fresno, Reach between Los Banos and  
 Fresno to Fresno not  
 Fresh to in case of rain.  
 Fresno to Coalinga—Leave Fresno via  
 Kerning boulevard, Fresno over McMillen  
 Roadside to Helms. "This route via McMillen  
 Roadside is marked." Helms to Coalinga  
 is dirt road.  
 Tractor Demonstration — University  
 Arvin, Davis, April 18-19, 19—Picnic  
 Pacheco Pass—From Gilroy or Hollister  
 to Los Banos open and in fair condition,  
 Not advisable in case of rain.

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